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The Royals will meet the All Stars of Lowell tomorrow.

Great ball game Fourth of July; Grocers vs. the Andover Press.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Holt of Brookline spent the week-end in Andover.

Mrs. George B. Frost of Highland road sailed for Europe last Saturday.

Miss Mabel Carter has returned from a visit to Mrs. Pease in Randolph, N. H.

Harry A. Ramsdell has fitted up a law office in W. A. Allen's shop over Valpey's market.

Carl Lindsay and Arthur Cole spent the week-end at the former's camp at Foster's pond.

The family of J. Judson Dean of Locke street leave next week for a European trip.

A number of local men were among those who inspected the new Cape Cod canal on Tuesday.

"Tonight the Ladies' Auxiliary, A. O. H., give a drama, 'The Virginia Heroine,' in the Town hall.

Mrs. James Gillen and family left this week for Hampton Beach where they will spend the summer.

The grocery stores in town close next week on Tuesday and Thursday evenings until further notice.

Mr. and Mrs. Augustus P. Thompson and family leave this week for their summer home in Annisquam.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank H. Baldwin and son Charles of Rutland, Vt., recently visited relatives on Summer street.

Ray Rhodes and Phillips Morrison have gone to Hartford, Conn., where they will be employed for the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. William H. Foster and daughter Dorothy have gone to their summer home in South Freeport, Me.

Mr. and Mrs. Burton S. Flagg and children of Bartlett street have gone to their summer home at Kennebunkport.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert May of Springfield visited Mr. and Mrs. George May on the Reading road during the week-end.

George W. White from Tyler Rubber Co. office is spending his vacation in New London, Conn., and New Market, N. H.

Have you had any of Tyler's Divinity and Maple Sugar Fudge? It is delicious! Write for particulars to A. L. Tyler, Bridgewater, N. H.

The Degree of Honor have changed their meeting nights from the fourth to the third Wednesday evenings of the month.

Miss Edith H. Aldred of the Abbot Academy faculty sails on Tuesday, the 16th, on the S. S. Coronio, for a summer abroad.

Miss Elizabeth Hamblin has been elected to the joint council of the Student Government Association of Wellesley College.

Mrs. Harold Cotton and son of Philadelphia are visiting Mrs. Cotton's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Jackson, on Maple Avenue.

Rev. and Mrs. Francis Howe Johnson left Andover on Wednesday to spend the summer at "Villa Mary", their summer home in Bar Harbor.

Miss Florence MacCreadie, a teacher in the Buena Vista Seminary, Buena Vista, Va., is spending a week with friends in Portland, Maine.

Mrs. John Reid of Johannesburg, South Africa, is visiting Mrs. William Mackenzie and Mrs. Donald Lawrie at their home, 59 Whittier street.

The following Andover real estate transfer was recorded in the Lawrence Registry of Deeds last week: William P. Shattuck to Abby Arsenault, \$1.

The Andover Band furnished the music at the Exeter celebration of their baseball victory which was held last Saturday evening at Exeter, N. H.

Buchan & Francis will close their store on Wednesday afternoons from June 24th to August 26th. The local shoe stores are planning to do the same.

Mrs. Winslow Goodwin of Winsted, Conn., is making a two weeks' visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Saunders, of High street. Mr. Goodwin spent the week-end here.

The Ladies' Aid society of the West church held their last meeting of the season yesterday afternoon when plans were made for a fair in the fall which will take place on Nov. 6.

Miss Ethel F. Brown of Punchard avenue and Miss Harriet Edmonds of Providence, R. I., sailed Tuesday on the Cunard steamship Franconia. They will spend the summer in Great Britain.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kimball of Lawrence, who attended the Exeter game, went up on the train with the victorious Exeter team last Saturday and spent the week-end with Mr. Kimball's relatives. Mrs. Kimball was Miss Margaret Donovan of this town.

Tomorrow there will be a picnic at Canobie Lake park of the combined C. E. Unions of Lawrence, Haverhill and Andover. The Andover Union is requested to take the 1.30 car at Hampshire street, Lawrence.

Supt. Fred Swanton of the Town Farm has purchased the Gleason property on Maple avenue. The house will be re-modelled and fitted up for two tenements and will be ready for occupancy in the near future.

Archibald L. Tyler wishes to announce that he has a fine lot of maple sugar which he is selling at \$1.75 per 10 lb. pail, postage or express prepaid. Address Bridgewater, N. H.

The exhibition at the John-Eather Gallery of books written by alumnae of Abbot Academy will be continued through tomorrow, so as to give more people the opportunity of seeing them. The hours are from two to five o'clock.

The children baptised at the Free church last Sunday were Marion Saunders Burridge, David Kirkaldy Fettes, Dorothy Margaret Fettes, Annie Boyd Gorrie, Charles Milton Jackson, Pauline Louise Morrissey, George Nicoll, jr., and Janet Alice Wyllie.

Box 52 called the fire department this morning to a blaze on the roof of the house owned by A. P. Tuttle of Frye Village, caused by a spark from a painter's blow-pot. Slight damage was sustained, the loss being estimated at about five dollars.

Among the visitors in town for the Abbot Academy commencement were Miss Alice Gleason, recently returned from her missionary work in Mexico, and Mrs. Sarah (Tufts) Clark of Mattapan, a graduate of 1859, who was the guest of Mrs. George M. Holmes of Whittier street. Miss Gleason is the daughter of Rev. George L. Gleason, now of Topsfield, and attended the Academy in 1882 while the family were living temporarily in Andover.

### Initiated Three Candidates

The regular meeting of the Ballardvale Lodge was held Monday evening. Among the visitors present were Grand Chief Templar Chesley Corkum of Everett, Grand Counsellor William Boodle of Haverhill, Mrs. Eunice Fish and Mrs. Benjamin Robinson of Methuen. The Grand Chief Templar gave an interesting address on the history of the order and the marvelous results it had accomplished. Three candidates were initiated and two propositions for membership were presented. Great enthusiasm and good fellowship were manifest at the meeting.

### Andover Natural History Society

A Field meeting for the study of "Aquatic" plants will be held at "Abbot's Meadow," West Parish, near junction of High Plain and Gleason roads, on Saturday, June 13th, P. M. A large will leave the Town hall at 3 o'clock. Fare, 25 cents round trip. Basket lunch on the grounds. Rubber boots can be used to advantage in the meadow. Friends are invited.

### Unclaimed Letters

Andover, Mass.,  
June 6, 1914.  
Caunt, Joseph  
Enaire, Anna  
Holt, D. E.  
Johnson, Thomas W.  
McGee, Eugene  
Murphy, Thos. H.  
Poudrier, Napoleon  
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### Marriages

In Andover, June 9, by Rev. Fred S. Rordan, Anna Byrnes of Frye Village and Thomas Casby of Haverhill.

In Andover, June 10, by Rev. Fred S. Rordan, Bridget Kennedy of High Street, and James Menahan of Lawrence.

In Lawrence, June 6, by Rev. C. B. Bowser, Bessie Lyland of Salem street and Wallace Brewer of Lawrence.

In Andover, Monday evening, June 8, at the home of John P. Wyllie Washington avenue, Cecil Wyllie Clark and Charlotte Moore by Rev. F. A. Wilson.

In Andover, at 22 Breckin terrace, Wednesday evening, June 10, John A. Russell of Ludlow and Jennie T. Carnathan of Andover.

### Birth

In Andover, June 8, a son to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Carse of Chestnut street.

### Commencement At Punchard

Sunday, June 14  
Baccalaureate Service—Punchard Hall, 4 p.m.  
Sermon by Rev. E. Victor Biglow.  
Wednesday, June 17  
Class Exercises—Punchard Lawn, 3.30 p.m.  
Junior Reception—Punchard Hall, 8 p.m.  
Thursday, June 18  
Graduation Exercises—Town Hall 8, p.m.  
Friday, June 19  
Alumni Reception—Town Hall, 8 p.m.  
Thursday, 3.30 p.m. Grammar School Graduation in Punchard Hall.

### Andrew Potter Prizes

Best essays on assigned subjects at Commencement Exercises—Edwin Walter Baker, \$30; Frederick Howard Stephens, \$20.

### Piano Recital

The pupils of B. Frank Michelsen gave a piano recital in Christ church parish house on Wednesday evening. The program was as follows:

Warrior's Song, Singleton P. Moorehead; Spring Showers, Miss Amy Lundgren; Humoresque, Gilbert Stone; Gavotte Facile, Miss Olive Mitchell; Mazurka, Miss Pearl Brown; Andante, Song of the Heart, Harry Read; Hunting Song, Master Moorehead; Cypress Waltz, Parker Eaton; duets, Folk Song, Miss Elizabeth Read and Master Read; Second Waltz, Rosefence, Charles Dalton; Whispering Violets, Miss Margaret French; Sonata in A, Il Trovatore, Miss Marion Selden.

### Andover Women Joining

Mrs. Samuel Dale Stevens of 623 Osage street, North Andover, was among those elected to membership in the Women's City Club of Boston at a meeting of the Membership Committee held on Thursday, June 4. Sixty-one new members were added to the club's enrollment, bringing the total membership up to 2681 within its first year, and indications point to a figure considerably in advance of the desired 3000 before the opening of the club house in the autumn. The facilities and conveniences which a club house in the city offers to the woman living out of town, together with the opportunities for social and civic interests, are attracting an increasing number of women from outside the ten-mile radius. A resident of Grand Rapids, Mich., as well as several from nearer cities such as Concord, N. H., Fall River, and Tiverton, R. I., were among those elected to membership.

### Elected Officers

The Bradlee Mothers' club held its annual meeting in the kindergarten room on Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. Edward French of Andover spoke to the mothers on how to strengthen the club by making them more helpful and broadening their views.

Singing by the sixth and seventh grades followed. The following were elected officers for the ensuing year: President, Mrs. George Tuttle; vice-president, Mrs. Ralph Bruce; secretary, Mrs. Louis Buck; treasurer, Mrs. William Clemons; visiting committee—Mrs. B. F. Stafford, Mrs. Holmes Bates, Mrs. William Matthews; committee on by-laws—Mrs. Elmer Conkey, Mrs. Ralph Bruce, Mrs. George Tuttle; entertaining committee, Mrs. George Tuttle, chairman. Tea and cake were served by the following efficient committee: Mrs. Freeman Abbott, Mrs. William Clemons and Mrs. Louis Schneider.

### Presented Play

St. Catherine's Guild of Christ church gave a very pleasing play, "The Sunset Hour," in the parish house before a large audience on Friday evening. Following is the cast of characters:

Mother Church Twelve of her children Rose Penny Daisy Lily-of-the-Valley Forget-me-not Mignonette Morning Glory Goldenrod Clover Larkspur Buttercup Geranium	Helen Wallis Natalie Page Edward French Leona French Mary Cole Jennie Walker Gladys Baker Hazel Strout Mattie Goldstein Elizabeth Schofield Doris Forster Annie Swenson Fred Cole
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## BASEBALL

Punchard High easily defeated Howe High at Billerica last Friday afternoon by the score of 6 to 4. Larkin pitched a strong game and with the headwork of Gus Brown the local catcher, the Billerica team proved an easy mark. Geo. Brown played a good game at first and Dane excelled in one hand stabs at the third sack. The summary:

## PUNCHARD

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Geo. Brown, 1b	5	0	2	6	0	1
Dalton, ss	5	1	1	3	0	1
Bowman, 2b	5	0	1	1	1	0
Gus Brown, c	4	1	2	13	2	0
Dane, 3b	5	0	1	1	0	0
Cates, cf	3	1	1	0	0	0
Robinson, rf	4	3	1	1	0	0
Boutwell, lf	4	0	1	0	0	0
Larkin, p	4	0	0	2	2	0

Total 39 6 10 27 5 2

## HOWE

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Casey, 1b	3	0	1	10	1	3
Cook, p	4	0	0	1	5	0
Lyons, c	4	2	3	7	1	0
Hadley, 3b	4	0	1	2	0	1
Obier, 2b	3	0	0	3	2	0
Dolan, ss	4	0	1	2	4	0
Doh, rf	4	0	0	0	0	0
Dennison, lf	2	0	0	2	0	0
Callahan, cf	3	2	1	0	0	0

Totals 31 4 7 27 13 4

Innings 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9

Punchard 0 1 0 0 0 4 0 1 0-6

Howe 1 0 2 0 1 0 0 0 0-4

Two base hits: Robinson, Boutwell. Double plays: Larkin to Robinson, Larkin to Geo. Brown. First base on balls: by Larkin, 4; by Cook. Hit by pitched ball: Cates. Struck out by Larkin 13, by Cook 4. Time: 2 hrs. Umpire: Kyle.

## Royals Win 13 to 1

The Royals defeated the Graniteville team at Graniteville on Saturday afternoon by the score of 13 to 1. The feature of the game was the batting by Dushame and Lund. The summary:

## ROYALS

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Porter, lf	4	3	2	3	0	0
E. O'Connell, 2b	4	1	1	3	1	1
Dushame, 3b	4	3	1	2	1	2
Lynch, ss	5	1	1	0	0	0
Lund, p, 1b	5	1	2	5	0	0
Stack, p, 1b	4	1	2	2	2	0
Keuhner, rf	4	2	1	0	0	0
Duncan, c	2	1	2	7	1	0
Pollock, cf	3	0	0	2	0	0

Totals 35 13 12 24 5 3

## GRANITEVILLE A. A.

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Buckingham, cf, 3b	3	0	1	0	2	0
Buim, rf	3	0	0	0	0	0
Allen, c	3	1	2	8	1	0
Haley, 2b	4	0	0	3	2	2
Ledworth, 1b	2	0	0	12	1	1
Haggerty, ss	3	0	1	1	1	1
McCarthy, 3b	3	0	1	0	3	3
Perkins, lf	3	0	1	3	0	0
Gordon, p	3	0	0	0	2	0

Totals 27 1 6 27 14 7

Innings 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9

Royals 0 0 3 2 0 6 0 2 x-13

G. A. A. 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1

Two base hits: Dushame, Lund 2, Stack, Keuhner. Three base hit: Duncan. Stolen bases: Royals 6, G. A. A. 3. Sacrifice hits: Stack, Duncan, Pollock. First base on balls: Stack 1, Lund 1, Gordon 3. Hit by pitched balls: Dushame, Ledworth. Struck out: by Stack 6, by Lund 1, by Gordon 2. Time: 2 hrs. Umpire: Dooley.



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## MUCH-USED BRIDGE OUT OF COMMISSION

Defective Cable Destroys Structure in Boston Suburb

Thousands of motorists bound to and from Boston and the North Shore, and the 35,000 residents of districts served by the Boston Elevated lines running to Stoneham, Spot Pond and Wellington, will be compelled for months to make detours, owing to the destruction by fire of the Wellington bridge, spanning the Mystic river between Somerville and Medford.

A defective cable ignited the wood-work of the bridge and the flames, fed by the oil-soaked wooden blocks of the piling and fanned by a stiff northwest gale, rapidly gained headway.

## TEST VOTE ON TOLLS

Senate Adopts the Simmons-Norris Amendment by Large Majority

The senate adopted the Simmons-Norris amendment qualifying the canal tolls exemption repeal bill by a vote of 50 to 24.

This was the first test vote after six weeks of debate on the repeal bill. Even the most optimistic senators who favored repeal had not expected the amendment to carry by so large a majority. It is not believed, however, that the bill itself can be put through by so great a margin.

The Simmons-Norris amendment would provide that the passage of the repeal shall not be construed or held as a waiver or relinquishment of any rights the United States may have under the Hay-Pauncefote treaty with Great Britain.

## BY OVER SIX MINUTES

Resolute Beats Vanitie After Defiance

Quits the Race

Resolute won the race of thirty miles over the America's cup course off Sandy Hook. The Vanitie finished second. The Defiance had trouble with its sails and quit early.

The Resolute got away first and was never headed. The Herreshoff boat turned the first mark, fifteen miles to windward, far ahead of the Vanitie. But racing for home, with the wind astern, the Vanitie picked up some of the distance.

Official corrected time: Resolute, 3:18:28; Vanitie, 3:20:57.

## DIES AT AGE OF 110

Woman Who Wedded at 105 Succumbs to Heart Disease

Mrs. Maria Lassaso of Paterson, N. J., died of heart disease at the age of 110 years.

Five years ago she was married to Anthony Lassaso of New York city, where she lived previous to coming to this city. Lassaso was married five times.

Mrs. Lassaso was born in Italy. According to friends she did not look older than 60 years.

## PEASLEE SAFE OPENED

Reveals Nothing to Throw Light on Murder of Its Owner

Officers investigating the murder of Howard W. Peaslee at Henniker, N. H., opened his safe, but found nothing to cast any light upon the case.

The examination was made in the presence of Peaslee's son, Morrison, Inspector Hildreth of the Manchester police department and Attorney Hill, who was the dead man's legal adviser.

## Divorce For Schumann-Heink

Mrs. Ernestine Schumann-Heink, the opera singer, was granted a divorce from her husband, William Kapp, Jr., whose ardent spinsters Mrs. Catherine Dean of New York were the sensation of the suit.

## GENERAL NEWS EVENTS

Eight persons were killed and a dozen others were perhaps fatally injured when fire swept through a tenement firetrap on New York's East Side.

The King and Queen of England gave the first state ball of the season at Buckingham palace.

Woman suffrage is to be enacted in Denmark and all property qualifications for electors of members of the upper house abolished by a constitutional amendment bill, which passed the lower house of the Danish parliament, 103 to 6, six deputies not voting.

Burglars carried off a 500-pound safe from a restaurant on lower Broadway, New York. It contained \$10.

Annie Alexander, who has spent twenty-six years in restraint, was sentenced to the penitentiary for robbing a jewelry store at Pittsburg.

Black Handers sent a letter to a Pittsburg merchant demanding money, under threats of death, and, then learning he was not wealthy, sent him a letter of apology.

Three French soldiers were killed and twelve wounded in a fight with rebellious Moors.

President Wilson's chauffeur, E. Johnson, who was arrested at Hyattsville, Md., for speeding, was fined \$10 by a justice of the peace.

The army of the Ulster "Volunteers" was strengthened by the addition of 8000 Mauser rifles as the result of a daring gun-running feat of an Irish yachtsman.

## PEACE PLANS THREATENED

United States Will Refuse to Recognize Huerta

## SYMPATHY WITH THE REBELS

Administration Thinks They Should Be Given Controlling Share in New Government Because of Successes in Northern Mexico—Plan of Rebels to Cut Off Huerta's Escape

A dangerous obstruction to progress on a vital point in the mediation proceedings has arisen, which again threatens failure for the Mexican peace negotiations.

The United States has said to the mediators in unequivocal terms that it cannot consent to any method of transition from the existing regime to the proposed new provisional government that can be construed as recognition of General Huerta's administration.

The mediators are insisting that Huerta be permitted to make the appointment of the man agreed upon by them for provisional president. This the American government absolutely refuses to accept, not only because it is committed against recognition of Huerta, but because it has been informed by the constitutionalists that under no circumstances will they accept a peace plan which permits Huerta to exercise the constitutional function of naming his successor. On this point the mediators and American delegates are blocked.

Some of the principals have lost hope for a settlement, but there is a growing confidence that the mediators will devise some method of bridging the difficulty rather than allow mediation to founder on the rocks.

Involved in the question of method in choosing the new provisional president is an underlying principle, which if not settled now, will certainly provoke other disagreements before any protocol can be signed.

The American government is firm in its belief that the constitutionalists, having conquered the greater part of Mexico, should be given the controlling share in the new government; that the constitutionalists are moving forward to undoubted conquest in Mexico City, and that to prevent such a contingency, concessions should be made which will make their acceptance of the peace plan possible.

The United States believes that the constitutionalists, with their large army, form the real party which must be pacified and that the transfer of power must be to them in order to insure peace.

The mediators are understood to have contended that to transfer the power in Mexico City from Huerta directly to a constitutionalist, without intervening steps in conformity with the Mexican constitution, would be heaping indignities upon Huerta.

The American delegates, it is believed, took the position that questions of personal dignity should not be allowed to stand in the way of a peaceful settlement of the Mexican problem, when the alternative is an invading army of constitutionalists who would peremptorily dethrone Huerta and his supporters and sympathizers of power.

Amnesty for the Huerta followers and a guarantee of their property rights has been undertaken by the American government. Also the United States considers it has acted magnanimously in declining to ask for a war indemnity as a result of the occupation of Vera Cruz. It wants as reparation the establishment of a stable government and to have peace restored. It will ask nothing more.

Unless the mediators find a way to straighten out the differences which have arisen the proceedings will come to an abrupt end. On the other hand, intimations have come from the Mexican delegates that they will not insist on technicalities in the method of transfer, though they seemed to be determined that a neutral be chosen provisional president and that no one actively identified with the constitutionalist cause be considered eligible.

## TO CUT OFF HUERTA

Rebels Prepare to Capture Him Should He Try to Escape

Railroad communication between Mexico City and Vera Cruz is menaced by constitutionalist forces, Brigadier General Funston reported to the war department.

From sources in touch with the constitutionalist agency in Washington it was learned that the particular object of the activity of Carranza's troops in Vera Cruz state is to cut off all means of retreat for Huerta and his cabinet in case they determine to quit the capital.

The constitutionalist forces in Vera Cruz state, numbering about 9000, are said to be disposed so that they might be able to cut not only the railroad between Mexico City and Vera Cruz, but also the line between the capital and Puerto Mexico.

## Held For Father's Death

Michael T. Connolly a longshoreman, was arraigned at Boston charged with assault and battery on his father, Martin Connolly, 53, who died at a hospital. Connolly pleaded not guilty and was held in \$5000 bonds for a hearing.

## DAY OF ENJOYMENT FOR HUB CHILDREN

Hundreds "Go the Limit" as Guests of Auto Dealers

Approximately 2500 children from all sections of Boston, mostly from charitable institutions and public homes, had their big day of the year at Nantasket Beach. They were guests of the Boston Automobile Dealers' association, which annually gives the youngsters an outing.

Every child in Boston that wanted to go along was accommodated. They were of all denominations and nationalities. More than 300 automobiles of every description carried them over the road to the seaside.

It was an all-day frolic for the children. They were told to "go the limit" in having a good time. And they certainly did. They were tendered a luncheon, followed by sports and games. The children were brought back to town at sundown.

## FOSTER PLEADS GUILTY

Postmaster Admits Conspiracy to Get Increase in Salary

Harold A. Foster, formerly postmaster of North Brookfield, Mass., pleaded guilty to conspiracy to defraud the government and was fined \$300 in the United States district court at Boston.

By large sales of stamps to the Sterling Debenture company of New York Foster inflated the receipts of his office to such an extent that he was granted an increase in salary.

As the postal regulations prohibit the sale of stamps outside the postal districts to which they are issued, and as the salaries of postmasters are based on the volume of business in the district, Foster was arrested.

## GOLD SLAYER SENTENCED

Woman Who Shot Newsboy Goes to Prison For Indefinite Term

Marie Germanini, who shot and killed Louis Gold, a Boston newsboy, pleaded guilty to manslaughter. She was sent to Sherborn for an indefinite term.

She insisted that she had fired at Quinto Germanini, her brother-in-law, and hit Gold by mistake. Quinto Germanini is in jail pending an appeal from a year's sentence imposed for white slavery.

Mrs. Germanini told a sensational story in the police court in explanation of the shooting, of Quinto's luring her from her husband, his own brother, and of other matters leading up to the shooting.

## TWELVE HURT IN WRECK

Express From Boston to Montreal Leaves the Rails in Vermont

Eight passengers and four train employees were slightly injured by the derailment of a portion of the Boston and Maine express, from Boston to Montreal, at Braintree, Vt.

A mail car and an express car rolled down a thirty-foot embankment into a branch of the White river. The baggage car, smoking car and a day coach left the rails and jolted over the ties, but were not overturned.

Occupants of the remainder of the train, including



Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PROBATE COURT

**ESSEX, ss.**  
To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of Emma M. E. Sanborn, late of Andover, in said County, deceased.  
WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for probate, by Colver J. Stone, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, without giving a surety on his official bond;  
You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Salem, in said County of Essex, on the twenty-ninth day of June, A. D. 1914, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.  
And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Andover Townsman, a newspaper published in Andover, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing, postpaid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.  
Witness, Rollin E. Harmon, Esq., Judge of said Court, this eleventh day of June, in the year one thousand nine hundred and fourteen.  
HORACE H. ATHERTON, JR.,  
Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PROBATE COURT

**ESSEX, ss.**  
To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of Margery McCollum, late of Andover in said County, widow deceased.  
WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for probate, by Frederick McCollum, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, without giving a surety on his official bond;  
You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Salem, in said County of Essex, on the twenty-ninth day of June, A. D. 1914, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.  
And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Andover Townsman, a newspaper published in Andover, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing, postpaid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.  
Witness, Rollin E. Harmon, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this tenth day of June, in the year one thousand nine hundred and fourteen.  
HORACE H. ATHERTON, JR.,  
Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE

**ESSEX, ss.**  
By virtue of a license granted me by the Probate Court in and for the County of Essex, said license being dated May 25th, 1914, I shall sell at Public Auction, on the premises, hereinafter described, on the 20th day of June, 1914, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, by Barnett Rogers, a duly licensed auctioneer, the following described real estate of Celia S. Weston, late of Andover, for the purpose of distribution, namely:—A certain parcel of land with the buildings thereon situated in that part of Andover, called Ballardvale, in the County of Essex, and said Commonwealth. Beginning on the westerly side of Andover street at land now or once of Blaney heirs and thence runs westerly on said land of Blaney heirs 4 rods to land formerly of Henry Thurston; thence northwesterly by the Thurston land 76 1/2 feet to land now or once of Mary A. Higgins et al; thence by land of said Mary A. Higgins et al easterly 6 rods 15 links to said Andover street; thence southerly on said Andover street 76 1/2 feet to the Blaney land and point of beginning. Being the same premises conveyed to the said Celia S. Weston by Mary A. et al, by deed dated May 6, 1902, and recorded with Essex North District Deeds Book 194, Page 134.  
You are required to give notice of the time and place of such sale, by publishing a notification thereof, of once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Andover Townsman, a newspaper published in Andover, and, within one year after such sale, return your affidavit of having given such notice, with a copy thereof, to the Probate Court.  
Witness, Rollin E. Harmon, Judge of said Court, at Newburyport, this twenty-fifth day of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fourteen.  
HORACE H. ATHERTON, JR.,  
Register.  
COLVER J. STONE,  
Administrator of the Estate of Celia S. Weston.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PROBATE COURT

**ESSEX, ss.**  
To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of Ellen Hilton, late of Andover, in said County, widow, deceased, intestate.  
WHEREAS, a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to Irvin Hilton of Winchester in the County of Middlesex, without giving a surety on his bond;  
You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Salem in said County of Essex, on the fifteenth day of June, A. D. 1914, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.  
And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Andover Townsman, a newspaper published in Andover, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court.  
Witness, Rollin E. Harmon, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-eighth day of May, in the year one thousand nine hundred and fourteen.  
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MCDUGALL'S MUSINGS

"What Fools These Mortals Be"

As the reports of sermons connected with the finish of the school year will require all the space in the Townsman this week, I will take Solomon's advice and say nothing, as a man who holds his tongue is accounted wise.  
I intended to say my say about these mad women in England who are raising Cain generally because the whole government machinery does not stop to attend to them. When the Duke of Wellington was a widower King George came often to dine with him and called the Duke Arthur. The Duke did not like that "fat pig" of a king to call him Arthur. The King sometimes brought

friends with him from the gay demi-monde of London.  
One day a reporter from a leading London paper called to see the Duke and said they were to publish an account of the dinner party last night but that for "a consideration" they would not publish the names of the ladies. The Duke called his valet and told him to show "this gentleman" to the door. The reporter then asked the Duke what answer he was to give the editor. "Publish and be dam'd, and don't you come here again." So like the reporter who got his marching orders from the great general who won Waterloo, I take my orders from headquarters and stop.  
IAN MCDUGALL.

ABBOTT VILLAGE NOTES

Mrs. James McCarthy and children of North Andover spent Tuesday at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Stewart of Moraine street.

John Baxter, Jr., of Higgins Court is slowly recovering from muscular rheumatism.

Mrs. John Ryley of Essex street spent the week end with friends in Dorchester.

Mrs. Nolan of Cuba street has returned after a visit to her son in Grafton last week.

Mr. and Mrs. James Fettes and family of Lynn, spent the week end at the home of Mrs. James Stewart on Essex street.

Mrs. Isabell McGloughlin and grandson John spent the week end at the home of her daughter in Melrose.

Mrs. William Anderson of Marland village is seriously ill at her home.

Nester Dovoal, employed by the Smith & Dove Company has taken up residence in Brechin terrace.

Mr. and Mrs. David Croall have returned to their home in Lynn after spending a week with friends in the village.

Frank McBride of Essex street recently employed in the flax mill, has gone to Boston to work.

Mrs. McDougal of North Grafton is visiting at the home of her grandmother, Mrs. Nolan of Cuba street.

David McKee has severed his connection with the Smith & Dove Company.

John Deymond and Martha Eldred of North Main street were married last Wednesday in Nashua, New Hampshire. They are residing in Brechin terrace.

Williamina Ethel, three months old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Hutton of Shawheen road, was buried Sunday in Spring Grove cemetery.

David Gillespie severed his connection in the Rubber Shop to accept a position with the People's Ice Company.

The players of the Andover United soccer team were tendered a banquet last Friday evening in Abbott Village hall by the club members.

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At a special meeting of the Board of Managers of the Andover Home for Aged People on the evening of June 3rd, 1914, the following resolutions were adopted:

That in the death of Doctor E. M. E. Sanborn, which occurred on the 24th of May, 1914, the Home has lost its most faithful friend of longest standing for it was she with whom the idea of such a Home originated, and it was she who took the first necessary steps which finally resulted in the formation of the present organization, the business meetings of which were for many years held in her home.

For many years she served as secretary of the Board, and the records she kept tell the story of the long waiting for the necessary funds with which to open a Home, during which time she held fast to her idea until at last she had the great satisfaction of seeing it materialize in the present comfortable, attractive Home, which may truthfully be regarded as a memorial of her foresight, patience, perseverance and unswerving devotion to the cause so dear to her heart.

Having been for years a regular attendant at the business meetings, always ready with wise counsel and helpful suggestions, and having been a frequent visitor in the Home, bringing gifts with which to provide special pleasures for the members of the family, it is with grateful appreciation, and a keen sense of loss that we pay (or record) this tribute to her memory.

Miss Margaret E. Grey has bequeathed one hundred dollars to the Home.

During David Shaw's absence, J. Duke Smith, Esq., will act as treasurer.

BEATS OLDER SHAMROCK

New Cup Challenger Shows Grand Form in Her First Race

Grand form was shown by Shamrock IV., Sir Thomas Lipton's new challenger for the America's cup, in her first race sailed in the Solent, when she quite outpaced the older Shamrock, leaving the trial yacht far astern.

Only a light breeze was blowing and both Shamrocks carried a full spread of fair weather canvas. Beating to the eastward the challenger quickly drew away.

In the run back with jacks and spinnakers set the challenger took a still more commanding lead, gaining some five minutes in covering a four-mile stretch.

STATE CANNOT FIX RATES

Supreme Court Declares Nation is Master of Railroads

A long step toward placing railroads under "one master instead of many" was taken by the supreme court in upholding the power of the interstate commerce commission to strike down state rates that discriminate against interstate commerce.

The court said, in substance, that the Minnesota and other recent state rate cases, in which the railroads lost, might have been decided otherwise had the roads gone to the commission for relief instead of the courts.

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New Telephone System for Andover

Announcement is made by Manager Fred G. Cheney, of the Lawrence and Andover offices of the New England Telephone and Telegraph Co., of the changing of the present magneto system of telephony in Andover to the common battery, or what is sometimes termed the "light" system.

Contractor E. A. Peabody & Son started work Monday morning, tearing out partitions and rearranging the rooms preparatory to the installation of the new switchboard, which is being manufactured at the Western Electric Company's works in Hawthorne, Ill., and which is expected to be received soon. The Company has recently made a new lease of the present quarters in the Munroe building and have added one room, which is necessary because of the additional equipment used in the new system.



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The switchboard is known as a No. 10 type, common battery, composed of five sections, and has a capacity of 560 lines for subscribers' multiple and 40 lines for outgoing trunk multiple. On the arrival of the board a crew of men will immediately start setting it up, together with all the intricate and complicated appearances.

When it is understood that practically one old telephone plant is supplanted, so far as apparatus is concerned, by a new one, the immensity of the undertaking can be understood. The entire Central Office fittings will be new and at every subscriber's instrument various changes will have to be made, and in some instances an entire renewal will be made. Many of the interior wirings at subscribers' stations will have to be rewired to conform to the workings of the new system, although for the past few years all new stations have been wired to meet the proposed requirements.

Divided ringing on party lines is provided for, a device preventing the bells ringing on one side of the line when the other side is called.

Every effort will be made at the Central Office to maintain the high standard of service furnished, but it will be under most trying and difficult conditions as the noise incident to the changes will have to be contended with.

The different systems are described as follows:—The Magneto system, now in operation, provides for a magneto bell with a crank attachment and upon turning, it attracts an armature at the Central Office, releasing a drop, thereby attracting the operator's attention. The power for the transmission of speech is furnished by dry batteries, located at each subscriber's station and these have to be renewed periodically. With the common battery system, the subscriber simply removes the receiver from the hook and this operates a relay at the Central Office, which in turn lights a small lamp, about a quarter of an inch in diameter, thereby attracting the operator's attention. The answering of the called party and the completion of the call are all signalled by the "supervisory" lamps lighting. A power plant with dynamos, etc., are used to charge daily the storage batteries which furnish the electrical energy for the talking circuit.

The Andover Exchange was first opened, and in its present quarters, June 9, 1899, with two employees and 69 subscribers, while today there are 704 connected. There are 14 operators employed. Miss Mabel V. Harrigan is chief operator, and Wm. A. Emerson of Lawrence, wire chief.

It is expected the new system will be ready for operation late this year, at which time an opportunity will be given to the public to visit the Exchange and observe the workings.

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PLYMOUTH

"Under Cover" will begin the final weeks of its engagement at the Plymouth theatre, Boston. The piece has just completed the 25th week. Not even the dreaded hot weather has had any tendency to mar the prosperity nor abate the popularity of the play. This fact clearly emphasizes the unusual merits of the piece as well as proves that it may be equally enjoyed at this time of the year as in the theatrical mid-season. This, however, does not mean that the play is to remain in Boston for any extended period. The play must necessarily terminate its long and successful season in a very short time. No better, cleaner, or more wholesome play has been witnessed in Boston for years. It is just the sort of play that may be thoroughly enjoyed by every member of the family. The action of the play moves at an unusual rapidity. There are several new members in the cast which is still headed by that popular favorite William Courtenay. An extra matinee will be given on next Wednesday, June 17th, in addition to the regular Thursday and Saturday matinees. Mail orders are given strict attention and should be made payable to Fred E. Wright.

VILLA NAPOLI

The inauguration of a high class cabaret show and "dancers" as the features of the third season of the famous Villa Napoli, Nantasket, is destined to make this place one of the most attractive of summer resorts. Since the opening on Decoration Day thousands of patrons have enjoyed the sensation of having someone suddenly rise at their table and render a classical or popular vocal selection. Other entertainment is offered from a raised platform. Villa Napoli was formerly the beautiful R. H. Stearns estate and occupies more than 13 acres of land overlooking the waterfront. It is easily accessible by boat, train or car and bears a high reputation for its lobster and chicken dinners. A daily afternoon tea is also served. Manager Di Pesa has also provided an augmented orchestra of well trained musicians.

Independent Agricultural School Conference

A conference on "Community Planning" will be held by the Independent Industrial School of Essex County, at Hathorne (Danvers), Mass., on the days of June 23, and 24. Interesting speakers have been obtained to express their views on various subjects relating to agriculture and the program promises to be varied to suit all needs. The convention is to be held on the Essex Agricultural School Farm and may be reached by taking the main line of electric between Lawrence and Salem. Hathorne station on the Lawrence and Salem branch of the B. & M. is four minutes distant. For circulars and additional information address F. A. Smith, Director, Hathorne, Mass.

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### Wanted—Legislative Spine

It is doubtful if there is a single member of the Massachusetts Legislature who isn't thoroughly convinced that there is waste and extravagance in the management of the State institutions. It is doubtful if there is a single thinking member of the Massachusetts Legislature who is at all conversant with conditions surrounding administration and existing methods in conducting large enterprises, who is not convinced that a better system could be devised for controlling and directing a number of different agencies performing similar work, than the disorganized system now obtaining in the institutional work of the Commonwealth.

The bill, which has for a long time been in the hands of a committee, proposing consolidation of State departments having to do with the care of insane and other kinds of delinquent persons, had the approval of four-fifths of the Massachusetts Legislature when it was originally presented to them. This approval in many cases was not uttered, and in many more cases will never be uttered either by voice or vote, because there exists in Massachusetts in connection with these institutions and the management thereof, the undoubtedly most perfectly organized political machine in the State. The bill will be killed. The fact that it would save to the Commonwealth a large sum of money, estimated by those at all conversant with conditions to aggregate nearly one million dollars a year, is of no importance weighed against the political fortunes to be promoted by the different political machines in different sections of the State.

As a compliment to the measure there has already been presented by the Governor himself, a proposition to go only part way this year and consolidate the State Board of Insanity. The action is needed less here than in any department in the entire scheme, yet, because friction is noted, due to the work already performed by ex-Governor Foss in reorganizing the Board, the pursuit of the line of least resistance makes this the easy thing to do.

The working out of the plan has been left to a legislative committee honest enough, but of such limited capacity in connection with such problems as this, that it is almost ridiculous to assume that any satisfactory solution can be secured. Rumor is very current in the state that the Governor plans to confine the work of this year to reorganizing of the single Board of Insanity, as a part of a compromise with the stronger organization, under the head of the Board of Charity. There is undoubtedly some ground for this belief, but the Governor can ill afford to make any such compromise as this. We go farther in a confident belief that no man in

politics can afford to resist the demand made by existing conditions for reform in these departments, without answering to a constituency, sooner or later, which believes that it is time for Massachusetts to become a little more efficient in its government and a little more economical in the administration of the many extravagant State departments.

The first vote taken on Wednesday along the line of these reforms had to do with the establishment of a central purchasing agency. It isn't pleasant to see that our own representative yielded to party pressure and voted against this measure.

### Editorial Cinders

Andover boys have had their share of honors at Phillips during the week. Ludwig K. Moorehead, son of Professor Moorehead of the Academy, gets the first prize in English and the first prize in excellence in German prose. He also receives the Otis prize, given to that member of the Senior class who, having been a member of the school for at least three years, has in the judgment of the Faculty shown the greatest improvement. Robert T. Bushnell captured the second of the Draper prizes, has honorable mention in the Latin and Greek Composition contest and the further honor of having the Harvard scholarship for next year. Last but not least in the eyes of the student world, it is an Andover boy whose contributions to the success of the track team at the interscholastic meet last Saturday were a large factor in bringing the meet to Andover, who has been made captain of the track team for 1915, in the person of Lincoln T. Prescott.

The season's building operations do not seem to be quite as active as for quite a number of years past, and the trades are naturally affected thereby. It is no surprise that this is the case, for the whole trend has made the cost of building construction so large that many men hesitate to carry out improvements and developments that they would like to. It looks as if there was need of an adjustment all along the line if we are to have a construction of small houses and a development of small homes in such towns as Andover, in harmony with the ability of the average citizen to pay.

The Exeter game went as we had feared, and thus the red and gray has a pretty clean sweep for the school year of 1914. Defeat, however, has some compensations, and we have not the least doubt but that such a new spirit will develop on Andover hill as to recover from the present year so that the balance will certainly be no less blue in its impression than it has been for many years.

### Held Salad-Supper

The Congregational Ladies' Aid society held a salad supper in the church vestry on Wednesday evening. It was well attended and was the last supper of the season. The tables were very prettily arranged and decorated, and at each plate was a dainty buttonhole bouquet, together with a couple of well-chosen lines of sentiment, wit and advice. After the supper a guessing contest caused considerable fun and merriment. The supper was exceptionally enjoyable and was in charge of the following efficient committee: Mrs. N. S. Mears, Mrs. Joseph Shaw, Mrs. George Tuttle, Mrs. B. F. Stafford.

### Grange Notes

Edward E. Chapman, master of the Massachusetts State Grange, was present and he spoke to the children and sang two songs. Supper was served after the entertainment. The entertainment committee consisted of Mrs. John Morrill and Mrs. Frank Bailey. Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Bailey had charge of the supper. Dancing and a general social time ended a very pleasant evening.

Children's night was observed by Andover Grange on the evening of June 9, and it was attended with unusual interest. There were ninety-three members present and three Grange visitors. The attendance of children was one of the largest ever had. The program carried out was as follows: Piano trio, Phyllis Cunningham, Ruth Abbott, Marion Hill; reading, Miss Helen Swanton; song, Esther Henderson and Helen Wilcox; song, Master James Lowe; Highland Fling, Jessie Lowe; song, Mr. Lowe; song, Master James Lowe; song, Mr. Lowe; sword dance, Jessie Lowe; sailors' hornpipe, Mr. Lowe.

### Exeter Wins From Andover in Annual Game

Last Saturday afternoon on Brothers' Field the annual baseball game between the rival schools was played resulting in a victory for Exeter. The final score was 7 to 0. It was a good day though rather cool and the bleachers were crowded with baseball enthusiasts from both towns. The lineup was as follows:

Exeter:	Martin, rf;	Peters, c;	Neal, 1b;	Enwright, ss;	Casey, lf;	Hutchinson, 2b;	Scott, 3b;	O'Connor, cf;	Welles, p.
Andover:	Snell, 2b;	Ames, rf;	Earley, lf;	Grant, cf;	Sheehan, c;	Murray, 3b;	Hager, 1b;	Kinney, ss;	Swett, p.

Umpires: Stafford and Barry.  
 Score by innings:

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Andover	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Exeter	1	0	0	2	2	2	0	0	7

### Annual Meeting

At the annual meeting of the Congregational Sunday School held in the vestry Thursday evening the following persons were elected officers and committees for the ensuing year:

Superintendent, Charles W. Richardson; first assistant superintendent, Philip Stafford; second, Roy M. Haynes; secretary, Miss Annie McGhie; treasurer, Mrs. George R. Miller; auditor, Roy M. Haynes; superintendent primary department, Mrs. John Dearborn; first assistant, Miss Etta Greenwood; second assistant, Miss Isabel Miller; superintendent home department, Miss Sadie M. Kent; librarian, Stephen S. Byington; assistant, Foster Matthews; organist, Miss Alice Mears; assistant organist, Philip Stafford; concert committee, Miss Martha Byington, Mrs. Eldon Fleury, Miss M. L. Harwood, Miss Ada Mears, Miss Anna S. Davies.

### "Greatest Show on Earth"

The Barnum & Bailey "Greatest Show on Earth" will exhibit in Lawrence on June 24, for two performances, and street parade will be given. In recent seasons the big circus has had spectacular features but this season the management has gone to untold expense in investing the big circus with a wonderfully brilliant pageant of Oriental splendor entitled "The Wizard Prince of Arabia."

The Barnum & Bailey circus carries everything imaginable from a baby lion to a tangoing elephant in the wild animal line; acts of a death-defying nature, novelties galore, six augmented bands, astonishing wild animal performers, startling equestrian features, arenic feats of strength and magic, a freak congress and a million and one amusement attractions that only a gigantic circus like Barnum & Bailey can offer for the price of one admission.

The great free street parade will leave the show grounds promptly at 9 A. M. on the morning of the show date, Wednesday, June 24.

Excursion rates on all railroads.

### Card of Thanks

Mrs. Mary A. Welch and family wish to thank their many friends for their kindness and sympathy in their great bereavement, also those who sent flowers.

MRS. MARY A. WELCH,  
 WILLIAM T. WELCH,  
 JOHN A. WELCH,  
 JAMES F. WELCH,  
 MARY A. WELCH.

## LOCAL CORPS ENTERTAINED

Essex County Woman's Relief Corps Holds Successful Convention at the Church

An all day session of Essex County W. R. C. was held on Wednesday at the Free Church. It was a perfect day for the occasion. A flag was draped over the vestry door and pictures of Lincoln and Washington were draped also with red, white, and blue, while flowers and flags made the pulpit attractive. In the morning a business meeting was held, followed at one o'clock by a dinner served by the local corps. About one hundred and fifty ladies and comrades of the G. A. R. sat down to the well filled tables. A bountiful repast was served, consisting of cold meat, salads, rolls, pie, gelatine, and coffee, and the many expressions regarding the generous hospitality of the Andover ladies, were good to hear. In the afternoon a varied program was carried out and much enjoyed by those present. Remarks were made by Department Commander John M. Wood of Somerville and Sen. Vice-Com. Knowles of Arlington on behalf of Middlesex county, and Asst. Adj. Gen. W. A. Wetherbee of the G. A. R. of Boston. Mrs. Mary Cusack of Newburyport was in the chair, taking the place of the department president, Mrs. Laura I. Smith, who was unable to preside.

Mrs. Rebecca Pickett, Department Press Correspondent, and Mrs. Lou Stewart Wadsworth, Past National Patriotic Instructor, also spoke. Mrs. Anderson of the local corps read a poem.

A rising vote of thanks was given the ladies of the local corps for their generous hospitality.

The program follows:

Salute to the Flag; Welcome song; Song, "Blest Be the Tie that Binds"; Song, "Just Before the Battle, Mother"; Miss Alice Coutts; Recitation, Miss Margaret May; Gettysburg, Miss Gertrude Lombard; Solo, "Soldier's Cradle Song," Miss Coutts; Address, Rev. F. A. Wilson.

Those who had charge of the dinner were Mrs. Mears, Mrs. Valentine and Mrs. Pearce, while the ladies who waited on the guests were Miss Margaret McTernan, Mrs. MacCreedy, Mrs. Emerson, Mrs. Nuckley, Mrs. Elander, Mrs. Morse, Mrs. Hutchins, Mrs. Buchanan, Miss Morrill, Miss Hobbs, Mrs. Eastman, Mrs. Allen, Mrs. Jenkins, Mrs. Anderson, Mrs. Lindsay, and Mrs. Knipe.

### Children's Day at Free Church

The annual observance of Children's Day took place at the Free church last Sunday, the morning service being devoted to the little ones. Special music by the senior and junior choirs was rendered and at the close of the service potted plants were given to the Sunday School classes. A most interesting program was carried out, the children all doing well. Bibles were presented to twelve children who had reached the age of seven years. Following is the program:

Organ Prelude  
 Processional Hymn, "Hosanna, Loud Hosanna"  
 Call to Worship  
 Doxology  
 Invocation and The Lord's Prayer  
 Hymn 231, "Shepherd of Tender Youth"  
 Baptism of Children  
 Baptismal Prayer  
 Consecration Hymn, by the Choir  
 Responsive Reading: Selection 7, Page 13  
 Selection by the Children's Choir:  
 "Behold thy King draws near the city gates"  
 Presentation of Bibles  
 Burton Drisco Abbott, Ada Archbold, George Crawford Brown, Jean Johnston Donald, George Duncan, Lily Reid Harris, Ruth Isabel May, Jessie Catherine Moore, Virginia Lee Ramsdell, Helen Bailey Scannell, John Bruce Soutar, Hazel Fairweather Valentine  
 Hymn 78, "How precious is the book divine"  
 Pastoral Prayer  
 Organ Response  
 Notices and Weekly Offering  
 Anthem, "Suffer Little Children"  
 The Choir  
 Recitation, "The First Children's Day"  
 Minerva Ramsdell  
 Recitation, "The Road to Happiness"  
 Margaret May  
 Song, by the Primary Department  
 Recitation, "Forward"  
 John Stewart, John Caldwell, Hector Keith  
 Hymn 394, "Forward by our watchword"  
 Recitation, "Song of the Multi-millionsaire"  
 Etta Brown  
 Reading, "The Souls of the Children"  
 Marion Fraser  
 Hymn, "Summer suns are glowing"  
 The Children's Choir  
 Address, the Pastor  
 Hymn 395, "O God of Bethel"  
 Prayer and Benediction  
 Organ Postlude

### Pound Party

The South church C. E. held a social in the vestry last Friday evening in the form of a pound party. As each person came in the door he was weighed and taxed a cent for every ten pounds of his weight. Roy Hardy and Mr. Bigelow were taxed the most. Much merriment was caused by this. Afterwards games were played and mysterious packages were sold to the highest bidders. Each package contained some eatable article and many were surprised and delighted at the contents of their packages. Refreshments were then served and the social broke up, everybody declaring it to have been one of the best yet.

### IN BOSTON MARKETS

The following quotations are strictly wholesale and retailers must expect to pay more for small lots:

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 Apples—Cold storage Baldwins, #1 @7; fresh packed, fancy, \$4.50@5; No. 2, \$4@4.50; Northern Spy, \$5@6; russets, \$4@5.50.

## CONCERT GREAT SUCCESS

Andover Choral Society with Assisting Soloists Renders Handel's Oratorio Samson

The Andover Choral Society, under the very efficient leadership of Carl F. Pfattheicher, director of music in Phillips Academy, scored a distinct success in its very fine rendition of Handel's oratorio "Samson," in the Chapel church Tuesday evening. There was a fair attendance but not nearly as large as the excellent performance warranted.

The soloists were Mrs. Frank Allen, soprano; Miss Lillian Wainwright, contralto; Dean Winslow Hanscom, tenor, and Frederick Huddy, bass. To the chorus, however, the honors go, and their singing was a pleasing surprise to the audience. The two big choruses, "Then round about the Starry Throne" and "Let their Celestial Concerts unite," were splendidly rendered, with firmness of attack, the fortissimo finale of the latter bringing out a surprising volume of tone. The chorus also did very fine work in the rather difficult fugue "To Man God's Universal Law" and also "Then shall they know." The ladies of the chorus sang their part in the duet with the soprano soloist, "Her faith and truth," in a manner that was highly creditable to them.

The omission of all the recitatives in the second and third parts gave the chorus considerable work as they sang the choruses "Hear, Jacob's God," "To song and dance," and "Fixed in His everlasting seat," without a break, but the members responded in a very efficient manner. "With Thunder arm'd" was rendered with great vigor and spirit.

Of the soloists, Mr. Huddy easily carried off the honors, and his voice of excellent quality and range was heard to great advantage in "Honor and Arms." He also was very effective in "Thy Glorious Deeds," and also in the duet "Go, Baffled Coward." Mr. Hanscom's best solo was "Total Eclipse," while Mrs. Allen appeared at her best in "My Faith and Truth," and Miss Wainwright in "Return, O God of Hosts."

The accompaniments were played by a contingent of strings from the Boston Festival Orchestra, John W. Crowley principal, Dudley Warner Fitch, organ, and Mrs. John C. Angus, piano. The brunt of the work fell to Mrs. Angus and her intelligent playing was a great factor in the success of the performance. Mr. Pfattheicher made an efficient and hard-working conductor and to his untiring efforts Andover is indebted for its first performance of a big oratorio.

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## June 17. Train Service

On June 17 the Boston & Maine Railroad, following its usual custom, will discontinue a number of local trains into Boston in the morning and return trains in the afternoon.

Notices have been posted in the railroad stations informing the public of special stops that will be made by regular trains into and out of the city to cover the service dispensed with on that day.

## Annual Meeting of North Essex Congregational Club

The annual meeting of the North Essex Congregational club was held at Phillips chapel, Methuen, on Monday night, the occasion being also observed as Ladies' night.

At seven o'clock, a banquet was served by the ladies' union of the church, nearly a hundred being seated at the tables.

Rev. Arthur Barber presided at the meeting of the club. There was an interesting discussion on "Vacations." Rev. W. H. Ryder of this town opened the discussion, and the other speakers included Caleb A. Page of Methuen, Rev. E. V. Bigelow of Andover, Hon. Louis S. Cox, Rev. E. C. Davis, Rev. Charles H. Oliphant, A. B. Sutherland, and others. Rev. C. E. Rogers of Portland, Me., a guest, also made a very fine address. Professor Webster, with his chorus of young voices, furnished the music.

At the business session Judge Charles U. Bell of this town was elected president, Rev. Robert W. Beers of Lawrence vice president, and Judge N. P. Frye of North Andover, secretary and treasurer. A delightful social evening was enjoyed.

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## Graduation Day at Phillips and Abbot

Large Classes Leave Both Institutions  
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The commencement exercises of the two Academies have been held this week, ending today for the Phillips boys with the baseball game between the Alumni and the Academy. Various reunions are features of the day, members of the classes of '09, '04, '09, '94, '89, '84, '79, '74, '69, '64 and '54 being in attendance. The town has been filled with visitors, friends and parents of the young men and women to whom this is a special occasion, and the fine weather has added to the attractiveness of the season. Phillips graduates 122 students while Abbot sends out 30.

Below in detail is the program of each day's events.

## PHILLIPS ACADEMY

## The Baccalaureate Sermon

Because of the sudden illness of President Hyde, the baccalaureate sermon to the Senior class of Phillips Academy was preached last Sunday afternoon by the Rev. Frank Halsey Paradise, P.A. '64, at present rector of Grace church, Medford.

The general subject of the discourse was "The Search for Life," and the suggestion of the theme was the story of the Rich Young Man, as told in the 19th chapter of St. Matthew's gospel.

Wherever Jesus really appears, said the preacher, He becomes a disturbing force. He is always a challenge to the existing order of things—not only to entrenched vice or flagrant wrong, but also to the forms of conventional virtue. His influence brings doubt, dissatisfaction, unrest, longing.

A year or two ago there was published in Paris a remarkable book called "The Reappearing." It was a cleverly drawn picture of the effect of the presence of Jesus in the center of the world's culture. The blank pages of the newspapers usually devoted to advertisements first astonished the city. But slowly the whole structure of the social organism was disarranged—the customs, habits, conventions of daily life faltered and fell under the silent force of the reappearing Jesus. At last He was driven forth from Paris, as He had been from Jerusalem, by the outraged citizens.

In any program of life this Jesus must be reckoned with. After two thousand years He is a power still—a power which challenges the souls of men and disturbs the orderliness and stability of society.

In the story, the young man appears as a noble-hearted and open-minded youth who had sought to find the satisfaction of life in the fulfillment of his personal, social and property duties. He was no wastrel, but a devoted and faithful citizen. He had sought to follow the path that lay before him with fidelity and seriousness. It was evident that from his youth up he had been obedient to the law and loyal to his inheritance. But clearly he had missed in all this pursuit of outward conformity the lasting satisfaction for which his heart hungered. In the pursuit of formalism, in the growing isolation of his spirit, life had become to him a joyless round. All his respectability did not

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## Graduating Exercises

The graduation exercises were held this morning in the chapel, following the procession consisting of the trustees, faculty, alumni, and members of the graduating class from the Archaeology building.

The initiation service of the honorary scholarship society, Alpha Delta Tau, with an address by Rev. George F. Moore, D.D., of Cambridge, was held at 10 o'clock and the following were initiated: John Summerfield Brayton, Jr., Powell Mason Cabot, Joseph Hixon Colman, Alan Augustus Cook, John William Roy Crawford, Jr., Shirley McElroy Hall, Fred Bates Lund, Jr., John Bradburne Mackinlay, Nathaniel Burton Paradise, Harold Tillinghast Sears, Raymond Franklin Snell, Frederick Howard Stephens, Paul Tison, Walter William Toomey.

The orders of exercises: "Dissociation and English Imperialism" Frederick Howard Stephens, Dorchester "Robert E. Lee in Defeat" Shirley McElroy Hall, Jamestown, N. Y. Music

"The Value of Labor Unions" Edwin Walter Baker, Olean, N. Y. "Daniel O'Connell" William Patrick Ryan, West Medway "The Question of the Panama Canal Tolls" Edward Barrows Greene, Upper Montclair, N. J.

## Prize Awards

The Draper prizes, selected declamations: Robert Francis Daley, Salem, \$25; Robert Tyng Bushnell, Andover, \$15.

The Means prizes, original declamations: Edward Barrows Greene, Upper Montclair, N. J., \$20; Raymond Fairchild Beardsley, Roxbury, Ct., \$12; John Bradburne Mackinlay, Santa Barbara, Cal., \$8.

The Harvard Andover English prizes, Composition and rhetoric: Raymond Fairchild Beardsley, Roxbury, Conn., \$15; Allan V. Heely, Plainfield, N. J., \$10.

The Robinson prizes, extemporaneous debate: Francis W. Getty, Winchester, \$10; George Starkweather Haskell, Scranton, Pa., \$10; Elliot Speer, Englewood, N. J., \$10.

The Scheppe prizes, excellence in English: Ludwig King Moorehead, Andover, \$30; Raymond Fairchild Beardsley, Roxbury, Conn., \$20.

The Cook prizes, excellence in Greek: Fred Bates Lund, Jr., Boston, \$15; Alan Augustus Cook, Canandaigua, N. Y., \$10; Harold Tillinghast Sears, South Deerfield, \$5.

The Dove prizes, excellence in Latin: Nathaniel Burton Paradise, Boston, \$20; Paul Tison, New York, N. Y., \$15; Powell Mason Cabot, Brookline, \$10.



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The Valpey prizes, Latin and Greek Composition: Latin divided between William H. Bovey, Jr., of Minneapolis, Minn., and Tom Mitchell Brown, Winona, Minn.; Greek, Tom Mitchell Brown, Winona, Minn; honorable mention, Robert Tyng Bushnell, Andover. Prizes \$10.00 each.

The Convers prizes, excellence in Mathematics: George Peter Murdoch, Meriden, Conn., \$20; Sidney Hedges Wirt, Brookline, \$15; Harold Tillinghast Sears, South Deerfield, \$10.

The Wadsworth prize, excellence in Physics: John Wheeler Clarkson, Newburyport, \$10.

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## Cricket Notes

The entry blanks for the Andover Cricket Club Field Day are coming in fast and a large entry for the various events is looked for. There will be some class men running and this year's event will surpass former years. So look out for the list of runners in the issue of this paper. Remember the tug-o-war, open to Andover. Entry fee, \$1.00.

The Andover Cricket Club will play a team from Lawrence on the home grounds on Saturday afternoon. The game will start at 2.30.

## ABBOT ACADEMY

## The Baccalaureate Sermon

Hebrews 11-13. He went out not knowing whither he went.

There was nothing unique in that. Many before and multitudes since have been doing the same, going forth they know not whither. We are all more or less of travelers into the unknown. The difference in us is not in that. There are few whose destination is clear, and even then the course isn't defined. We speak sometimes of the voyage of life. Every child born into the world is started upon it, but it is to be his voyage, still unmapped. That is what makes him so uninteresting, and his advent so impressive. Hopes and fears hover over him, and love watches, but he goes his way. By and by he is afloat and sometimes adrift. Oftentimes the onlookers know whether he is going better than he knows himself.

All mankind, like Gaul, may be divided into three parts—the Nowheres, the Anywheres, and the Somewheres. The first don't go at all. They stay just where they are. They might be tied or chained so far as movement is concerned. They are fixed quantities, and a human can't be a fixed quantity without spoiling. He has got to go out. He is built for travel. That is where necessity is sometimes our best friend. It makes us move out and on. The ruin of many is the lack of incentive and impulse. That is the danger to which soft living exposes us, why so many rich men's sons land nowhere. The worst mistake one can make is to think that he has already arrived.

The Anywheres succeed little better. We have had much preaching of activity of late, of the strenuous life, and repose and quiet and calmness have been nearly driven out of life. Someone is always calling us to hurry up. Leisure, one of our most genial and helpful friends, has become a stranger in most American homes. There is no virtue in movement alone. The virtue is in direction. The tramp keeps moving on, partly from compulsion, partly from his spirit, but there is nothing definite in his movement. One place suits him as well as another provided it has equal facilities for comfort. But there are tramps whom we do not call tramps. They do not look it but they are it. What better than a tramp is one who goes wandering along this life with nothing definite before him, no high purposes, no lofty aims, no real accomplishment? He is worse than a tramp if he have a better chance and doesn't use it, if he goes thro' life just drifting with the current, hither and thither, or pulling around in a circle. Anywhere means nowhere.

The Somewheres—they are they who go out not knowing whither they are going, but whom the uncertainty and the indefiniteness of the future do not daunt. They have direction. They know that if they keep on going they will reach somewhere that is worth while, and on the way they will acquire much of value. The voyage is the attractive thing with them, the great cruise on it they will touch at many ports and take on many things of value. They will have surprises, disappointments, set backs, but they will keep on going. Progress is the great thing with them. What they dread is going backward or standing still, getting nowhere. They may not sing "Heaven is my home." They certainly will not sing "Earth is but a desert drear." They may sing "Fight the good fight," and "Onward, Christian Soldier," but they will not take it out in singing.

Abraham was in this class. He was the pioneer, the first to set out "not knowing whither he was going," the original Pilgrim, the ancestor, the forefather not of a race merely, but of a vast multitude of men and women who have taken themselves and their lives and gone forth into new and broader fields, and won out for themselves and for mankind. Therein he was unique.

He "went out not knowing whither he went," but he made the trip. He arrived. Where little concerns us. Not the place but the man is of importance. We may follow him topographically, if we are interested in Geography, from Ur of the Chaldees to the Promised Land. It was an eventful journey, but the places impress us not at all. It is the man on the way, when he reached,

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## Andover Young Men Graduate from M. I. T.

At the graduating exercises held Monday at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, the degree of Bachelor of Science was conferred on Roy E. Hardy and Alexander Morrison of this town. Mr. Hardy's thesis was on "Designs for steel and re-inforced concrete three-hinged arch highway bridges across the Merrimac River at Lawrence." Mr. Morrison's paper was on "The recovery of wool-grease from a lime-copperas sludge."

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## SERVICES FOR COMING WEEK

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**Rev. E. Victor Bigelow, Minister**  
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No Sunday school.  
7.45 Wednesday. Prayer meeting.

**WEST CHURCH**  
Congregational. Organized 1826  
**Rev. Newman Matthews, Pastor**  
10.30. Morning worship with sermon by pastor.  
12.00. Sunday School.  
7.00. C. E. Meeting led by Ruth Abbott.  
7.00. Service in Osgood District.  
7.45 Wednesday. Meeting for prayer and conference.

**FREE CHURCH**  
Elm Street  
Congregational. Organized 1846  
**Rev. Frederick A. Wilson, Pastor**  
10.30. Worship with sermon by Rev. George H. Gutterston of Boston.  
12.00. Sunday School and Men's Bible Class.  
6.30. Y. P. S. C. E.  
7.45 Wednesday. The mid-week prayer and conference meeting.  
7.00 and 7.45 Thursday. The rehearsals of the choir.

**PHILLIPS ACADEMY CHAPEL**  
"On the Hill"  
**Markham W. Stackpole, School Minister**  
Morning. Preaching by Prof. E. Y. Hinks of Cambridge.

**BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Organized 1832  
**Rev. W. E. Lombard, Pastor**  
10.30. Preaching by the pastor.  
11.45. Sunday School.  
6.30. Y. P. S. C. E.  
7.15. Gospel praise service.  
7.45 Wednesday. Prayer meeting.

**CHRIST CHURCH**  
Central Street  
Episcopal. Organized 1835  
**Rector, Rev. C. W. Henry**  
10.30. Worship with Sermon by the Rector.  
12.00. Sunday School.  
5.00. Evening prayer, with short sermon.

**ST. AUGUSTINE'S CHURCH**  
Essex Street  
Roman Catholic. Organized 1850  
**Rev. Fr. Riordan, Pastor**  
6.30 Sunday. Mass and instruction.  
8.30. Mass and instruction.  
Sunday School to follow.  
10.30. High mass and sermon.  
2.45. Children of Mary Sodality meeting each Sunday.  
3.30. Vespers, rosary, and benediction.  
7.30 Thursday. Holy Hour devotion.  
First Sunday of month. Communion day for Sacred Heart Sodality.  
Second Sunday of month. Communion day for Knights of Good Counsel.  
Third Sunday of month. Communion day for Holy Name society.  
Fourth Sunday of month. Communion day for Children of Mary.  
Holy Name society meets fourth Monday evening of each month.  
Sacred Heart Sodality meets first Friday evening of each month.  
Knights of Good Counsel meet second Wednesday evening of each month.  
Promoters of Propagation of the Faith, second Thursday evening of each month.  
Altar boys meet first Monday evening of each month.

**NORTH PARISH CHURCH**  
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## PHILLIPS BACCALAUREATE

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warm his heart, did not kindle his imagination and did not incite him with the spirit of heroism. Something about Jesus had suggested a new and worthier world—a world to live and die for. He longed to be gripped by a compelling love and swept into the stream of some great, overpowering cause. He was saddened by his success; sickened with the outward show of things. He was learning that there is no life but in death.

All this happened centuries ago, but the inquiring youth is an immortal figure, and Jesus is ever the disturber of the soul. "What shall I do to find life today?" is always the attitude of generous youth.

You are sooner or later to enter into a world of unrest, of vast confusion of antagonistic interest, into a welter of fierce struggle for money and power. And if you have eyes to see you will awaken to the knowledge of the joylessness of it all. Wealth drags itself with dissipation; and poverty cries out in pain, but of satisfaction there is little. It is becoming more and more clear that society, in all its forms, is passing through a tremendous readjustment. Formulas and creeds and shibboleths have lost their inward meaning. The

on Wednesday evening. There was a large attendance and the declamations were well delivered. The first prize was awarded to Robert Francis Daley of Salem, who spoke on "The Traditions of Massachusetts," by Henry Cabot Lodge. Robert Tyng Bushnell of this town received the second prize, his subject being "In Favor of the Retention of the Philippine Islands," by Henry Cabot Lodge. The program follows:

Music  
"In Favor of the Retention of the Philippine Islands"  
Delivered in the U. S. Senate in 1900  
Robert Tyng Bushnell, Andover  
"William McKinley"  
Delivered in Washington in 1902  
Frederick Halsey McElhone, Chicago, Ill.  
"Against the Retention of the Philippine Islands"  
Delivered in the U. S. Senate in 1900  
Maurice Stephenson Gould, Fort Washington, L. I., N. Y.  
"The Traditions of Massachusetts"  
Henry Cabot Lodge  
Robert Francis Daley, Salem  
"Against War with Mexico"  
Delivered in the U. S. Senate in 1847  
Paul Martin Goddard, Reading  
"The Sentence"  
A Selection from "Drake"  
Shirley McElroy Hall, Jamestown, N. Y.

The judges were Edward H. Brainard of Pittsburgh, Pa.; John L. Emerson, Titusville, Pa.; Rev. Chalmers Dyke, Andover.

## PHILLIPS COMMENCEMENT

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The Robert Stevenson prize, excellence in German Composition: Robert M. Lovett, Chicago, \$8; honorable mention, Howard M. Newton, New Haven, Conn.

The John Aiken prize, excellence in German prose: Ludwig King Moorehead, Andover, \$30; Walter William Toomey, Lawrence, \$20.

The American Archaeology prize: Harold T. Sears, South Deerfield, \$25. The Snell History prize, excellence in American History: Donald Appleton, Haverhill, \$50.

The George Lauder History prize, excellence in English History: John William Roy Crawford, Jr., New Rochelle, N. Y., \$50.

The Funk Chemistry prize, excellence in Chemistry: Powell Mason Cabot, Brookline, \$50.

The Faculty prize, highest all-round record in scholarship: John William Roy Crawford, Jr., New Rochelle, N. Y., \$50.

The P. A. '94-Harvard '98 Scholarship: Robert Tyng Bushnell, Andover, \$200.

The Frederic Holkins Taylor prize, for excellence in French Conversation, or French Composition: Roderick Fairchild Makepeace, Providence, R. I., \$50.

way," by Joseph Bucklin Bishop—Tom Mitchell Brown, Winona, Minn.

The Fuller prize, awarded to that member of the Senior class who has best exemplified and upheld in his life and work at Andover the ideals and traditions of the school: John Bradburne Mackinlay, Santa Barbara, Cal. \$50.00

The Otis prize, to that member of the Senior class who, having been a member of the school for at least three years, has in the judgment of the faculty shown the greatest general improvement: Ludwig King Moorehead, Andover, \$50.

The Harvard-Andover scholarships, available for a graduate of Phillips Academy during his freshman year in Harvard College, the award based on high scholarship: Powell Mason Cabot, of Brookline, \$300; awarded on the basis of high scholarship to a member of the incoming Senior class who is preparing for Harvard, the award to be announced at the close of the student's Middle year on the basis of his record up to that time: Tom Mitchell Brown, Winona, Minn., \$300.

## The Senior Honors

Algebra, advanced: John William Roy Crawford, Jr., William Pease Morrison.

Bible: John Bradburne Mackinlay, Harold Tillinghast Sears, Donald Kent Wright.

Chemistry: Powell Mason Cabot, William Pease Morrison.

English: John William Roy Crawford, Jr., Frederick Howard Stephens.

French, elementary: Joseph Hixon Colman.

French, advanced: John William Roy Crawford, Jr., Frederick Howard Stephens.

German, elementary: Powell Mason Cabot, Frederick Howard Stephens.

German, advanced: Joseph Hixon Colman, John William Roy Crawford, Jr., Howard Marquis Newton.

Greek: Alan Augustus Cook, Paul Tison.

History: Powell Mason Cabot, John William Roy Crawford, Jr.

Latin: Nathaniel Burton Paradise, Raymond Franklin Snell, Paul Tison.

Latin, composition: Alan Augustus Cook.

Mechanical Drawing: John William Roy Crawford, Jr., Julian Chever Howe.

Physics: John Wheeler Clarkson, Alan Augustus Cook, Harold Tillinghast Sears.

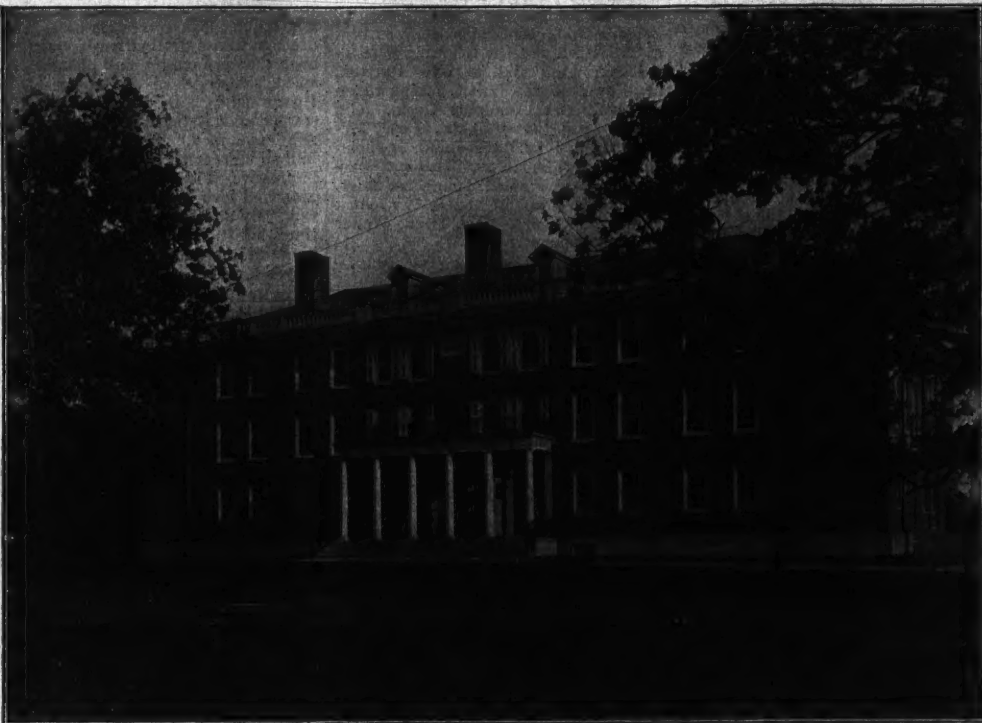
Solid Geometry: Powell Mason Cabot, Fred Bates Lund, Jr.

Trigonometry: Powell Mason Cabot.

## The Graduating Class

The members of the class of 1914: Classical Department—Frank Bates Armstrong, Coffeeville, Miss.; Edwin Walter Baker, Olean, N. Y.; Charles Bowditch Balch, Boston; Franklin Greene Balch, Jr., Boston; Howard Malcolm Baldrige, Omaha, Neb.; Alvin Freiberg Bluthenthal, Memphis, Tenn.; John Summerfield Brayton, Jr., Fall River; George Gordon Breed, Philadelphia, Pa.; Powell Mason Cabot, Brookline; William Chisholm, Salem; Joseph Hixon Colman, La Crosse, Wis.; Alan Augustus Cook, Canandaigua, N. Y.; Richard Clarke Cooke, Newton Centre; Middleton DeCamp, Cincinnati, Ohio; Godefroi Dunscombe, Stuart, Fla.; Louis Philip Ficks, Jr., Cincinnati, Ohio; Saxton Woodbury Fletcher, Andover; Michael Spencer Free, Jr., Du Bois, Pa.; Frederic Daniel Grab, Yonkers, N. Y.; Edward Barrows Greene, Upper Montclair, N. J.; Dana Walker Hardy, Arlington; Charles Francis Hewett, Quebec, Canada; Woodward Dennis Hulbert, Springfield; James William Husted, Jr., Peekskill, N. Y.; Clement

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## Class Day Exercises

The Class Day exercises were held on Thursday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock. A beautiful day, although warm, made the occasion a pleasant one. There was a large attendance, all of whom appreciated the efforts put forth for their enjoyment. Music was furnished by the Andover Brass Band. The class history was given by Edward James Winters. Nathaniel Burton Paradise delivered the oration and Woodland Kahler recited the class poem. The amusing prophecy was well received by the audience and this was given by Alexander Hamilton Twombly. The class day committee consisted of Parker Poole (chairman), Parker B. Allen, Ernest R. Cole, Robert F. Daley, and Edward J. Winters.

## Organ Recital

The annual organ recital was held yesterday afternoon at five o'clock in the Chapel by Carl F. Pfattheicher, musical director. The large audience much appreciated the half hour's excellent rendering of the various numbers. The program:

Organ Concerto, No. 6 Handel  
a. Adagio from Ariadne Guitman  
b. Triumphant March Guitman  
Piano and Organ  
Three Choral Fantasias Karg-Elert  
a. Wachet auf Ruft uns die Stimme  
Sleepers wake for night is flying  
b. Jerusalem du Hochgebauten Stadt  
(Jerusalem thou city fair and high)  
c. Ein Feste Burg Ist Unser Gott  
(A mighty fortress is our God)  
Prelude to the Meistersinger Wagner  
Piano and Organ

## The Senior Reception

Last evening the reception to the graduating class and their friends was held in the Borden gymnasium, which was beautifully decorated for the occasion. In the absence of Principal Stearns Acting Principal Charles H. Forbes received the guests. Music for the occasion was furnished by the Columbian orchestra. Dancing followed the reception.

## Abbot Academy Notes

Mrs. Ottilie Seybolt of Abbot Academy has gone to Wisconsin, where she will witness the Commencement exercises of the University of Wisconsin in which Mr. Seybolt holds a fellowship.

Miss McLane, the former matron of Draper Hall, who has been on a year's leave of absence, will return next fall and resume her duties at Abbot. Miss Cutting, who has so ably filled her place, has been called to the Westover school of Middlebury, Conn., as matron of that institution. Westover school is in charge of Miss Hillard, an old Abbot girl, and it has one of the finest school plants in the country.

Three new tennis courts are to be added to the school. They are to be at the side and a little above Abbot Hall.

## Junior Speaking

The Junior public speaking at Phillips Andover Academy was held Monday evening. First prize, William M. Strong; second, Charles V. Fish.

The program was as follows:

"Down the Rhine"  
Charles Vedder Fish, Boston  
"Hot Springs and Geysers of the Yellowstone"  
Alexander Duer Harvey Merrick L. I. N. Y.  
"A Day in Syracuse"  
Anthony Andrew Piazza Lawrence  
"Our Indian Problem"  
Thomas Haskins Joyce, Pasadena, Cal.  
"The Conquest of the Matterhorn"  
William McCreery Strong, Rochester, N. Y.  
"From Vera Cruz to Mexico City"  
Wesley Gaffield Spencer, Andover

## Draper Prize Speaking

The forty-eighth annual speaking of selected declamations for the Draper Prizes took place in the Stone Chapel

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## GRADUATION DAY

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his arrival, Abraham not Canaan.

He went out not knowing whether he went but he knew how he was going. The first eleven chapters of the Bible are simply preface. The history of two thousand or more years is condensed into those few pages. Then it pauses, and gives us in detail the story of this man, the man with whom, according to some, History begins.

But was he altogether human? Isn't there something of the Superman about him? Were not his relations to Jehovah out of the ordinary, special and peculiar? We read that "Jehovah said unto him: Get thee out of thy country, and from thy kindred, and from thy father's house." He had a call of God that was clear and definite, and the assurances and promises were immeasurably great. But he was not singular in that. Other men have been called of God. Every man is called of God. "There was a man sent from God" is not true of the exceptional John alone. God sends no one into this world without a mission, something distinct, individual for him. Every babe is consecrated. He may become desecrated. All are called, but all do not hear the call, and they do not hear because they do not listen. Other voices seem more worth while. Some are hidden to go out from their homes and kindred and they go to the ends of the earth, and the call of other men and women is to stay in their own homes and communities, and do God's work there, and if that be less it is not little. It is fulfilling a divine mission.

As for the promises, Abraham never had what we have. He saw from afar and dimly what we see near at hand and clearly. But he realized the conditions of the promises—that for the realization of a covenant there must be a covenant-keeping man as well as a covenant making God.

A brief command was added to Abraham's commission—four words—but they are a summary of all. He kept it ever before him, and because he was true to it, because he fulfilled it in all his dealings and relations with kings and peoples wherever he journeyed, he was regarded not as a conqueror or enemy but as friend. That command was: "Be thou a blessing." As a rule of life and conduct, as a governing principle in human relationships, there is nothing more far-reaching or comprehensive. Carried out it would transform, purify and make beautiful this world of ours. It would drive out all the meanness and sordidness and selfishness and littleness from business and from society. "And be thou a blessing." It is a good maxim for all the little journeys of life as well as for the great one. There is restraint in it but there is also constraint. It is not negative but positive. It means not ceasing to do evil to others merely, but bringing into their lives that which is beneficial—sweetness and light and strength.

Just before Abraham started off on his journey it was prophesied of him that in him all the families of the earth should be blessed. Vastly comprehensive as that prediction is we know that he fulfilled it. He went out not knowing whether he went and arrived there.

How did he do it? The New Testament says he did it thro' Faith. The writer of the Epistle to the Hebrews places him in that list of heroes who "subdued kingdoms, wrought righteousness, obtained promises" by the might of this power. From somewhere outside himself he drew inspiration, confidence, strength. He was willing to go out, and he kept on his journey, because he believed in and relied on God. If God called him, gave him a work to do then it was God's work and he had a right to God's support. He took God at his word.

The Arabians, who as well as the Israelites, regard Abraham as their ancestor, have a name for him which is indicative of the kind of man he was. They call him "the Friend of God." There was more than a reliance on forces or belief in an unseen power. In friendship the personal element comes in, a closeness of intimacy, the feeling of mutual confidence. All friendships bring strength and comfort, but to be a friend of God, to have God for a friend, will transform and transfigure any man, any journey. We can account for Abraham in no other way. And there have been many since his day, the beauty and the peace and the calmness and the strength of whose lives reveal a like friendship.

But his faith was not that lazy and spurious kind which is only reliance, which leaves all to God. It was alliance. It meant co-operation. It gave an enlarged meaning to his own responsibility and actions. He was in greater business. The journey was more significant. It called not for less energy and foresight and enthusiasm but for more.

How did he do it? "Because that Abraham obeyed my voice, and kept my charge, my commandments, my statutes and my laws" all the nations of the earth were to be blessed. That may have been one reason why that other title was given him—"Father of the faithful", by which he is known to this day. He was not only a man of faith but of faithfulness. Stanley calls him "the first true type of a religious man," and that is correct if we make the term "religious" comprehensive enough. His obedience was tested to the uttermost. One awful test we can explain only by the times in which he lived.

As he journeyed on from place to place "there builded he an altar unto Jehovah, and there called he upon the name of Jehovah," but his religion didn't end at the altar. It had only its beginning there. It broadened out into that religion which later the Master taught—the service of man. "He that would be first among you shall be your servant." There is no other route to greatness. The princes are they who serve. So Abraham arrived.

How did he do it? Not by any self seeking or self aggrandizement. Lot might have the best of the land, the fertile valleys, and he be left to the hills. The captured spoils of war, won by his victory, he would have none of. He came into the Promised Land and never owned any part of it save the few feet he purchased for a burial place for his beloved dead.

He kept himself free from entanglements. He made his journey with just enough baggage. He learned the secret of adjustment, but it was not by compromise. He did not antagonize his enemies, he made them his friends. He wasn't in a hurry. There was nothing turbulent or impetuous about him. Strenuously wasn't the great desideratum. There was something majestic in his calmness. Sure of himself he had no need to be assertive and aggressive. Magnanimous, generous, chivalric, he never lost himself or his way.

He did it because he saw something beyond the promised land. He did not let that which is near absorb his view, whatever it might be. His reach was farther and his grasp greater. He had visions. He had an ideal and the ideal uplifted him. He was not going on any ordinary way. His journey was more than simply passing thro' an unknown country. He was making a larger journey for "He looked for the city which hath the foundations whose builder and maker is God," and reached it and reached himself.

Some of you are beginning a journey. You are just starting out. All that has gone before in home, in school, in life, has been simply preparatory for this. It is an unknown journey. You too are going out "not knowing whither." You have your hopes, your anticipations, and expectations, but you do not know. How gladly and buoyantly and fearlessly you go! That is well. That is what makes your setting out so attractive to others. It is a glad sight. We who are older stand on the sides and cheer you as you start—we to whom the journey is no longer unknown. We cheer you because the journey is before you and you have the chance to make it, and make it well. Your route we know not, and you see but little way in it, but of how you will go we have our hopes, and here at the start you should have your determination. God said to Abraham "go out," and God says to you "go out." You too are called of him. It is no lesser voice that is speaking. Listen, listen all the days of your life and you will hear it. It is the voice of a friend—whose friendship will inspire you with courage, hope and patience. "Friend of God," there is nothing higher, but it may be your name also. And then faith will spring of itself, and obedience seem not hard but the willing expression of the heart.

But you are not going to be transferred or transplanted into the Promised Land. God offers it to you, but you have got to take it. You must make for it with all your soul and mind and strength. You will have to keep the direction. You will have to do many things and be many things. You cannot let the non-essentials crowd the essentials, or the lesser things of life magnify themselves to the obscuration of the greater. Keep your vision and hold to your ideals.

"The man who gets the full life is he who carries to it the full soul," it has been said. There are certain fundamental and eternal principles, and it is only as we make them our own and keep ourselves true to them, only as we make them a part of our very being that we or our lives become worth while. They permit no disloyalty. Their impairment is our own undoing. We compromise ourselves when we compromise them. Our souls must be on top but they must be large souls. There is no place for weaklings on the journey. They will get lost on the way. But there is no need of weaklings. No one has any right to be a weakling.

And "be thou a blessing!" So shall you arrive and bring some others with you.

"I go to prove my soul! I see my way as birds their trackless way. I shall arrive, what time, what circuit first, I ask not; but unless God send his hail Or blinding fire-balls, sleet, or stifling snow, In some time—his good time—I shall arrive; He guides me and the bird. In his good time!"

## Draper Reading

A large attendance of friends and relatives of the school attended the forty-seventh annual Draper Reading which was held on Monday forenoon in Davis Hall. The different selections were given in an exceptional manner, the girls deserving all the praise which was so generously bestowed upon them. Prof. Ashton rendered selections on the organ. The program follows:

Organ Prelude: Entrée Rousseau  
The Land of the Blue Flower Burnell  
The Barrel Organ Muriel Baker, Cambridge  
The Little Violin Marion Mather Brooks, Brookline  
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Organ Interlude: Minuet Marion Adelaide Selden, Andover  
In the Wake of William Tell Givens  
Martha Lambertson, Franklin, Pa.  
The Vain King Agnes Campbell Grant, Andover  
Selections from "The Blue Bird" Marion Clark Hamblet, Lawrence

## Lawn Party

The lawn party took place from four to six o'clock on Monday afternoon on the green, the pretty dresses making a beautiful display of color.

## Musical

On Monday evening the annual musical was held in Davis Hall under the direction of Prof. Ashton and Miss Bennett. There were about five hundred in attendance and the grounds were lighted as at the May day Pageant, sub-

dued lights making a charming effect. Below is the program rendered:

PART FIRST	
Chorus: Springtime	Bargiel
Two Movements from Suite	Dubussy
a) En Bateau b) Finale	
Miss Warren and Miss Wilkey	
Songs: The Lord is My Light	Allison
Miss Dowd	
Variations for Two Pianos (Op. 64)	Van Wille
Thomson	
Con moto	
Scherzo	
Allegretto	
Miss Emma Stohn and Miss Leslie	
Songs: a) Long Ago b) Liebeslieder	MacDonald
Miss Jones	
Songs: a) In the Garden b) The Year's at the Spring	Seller
Miss Koons	
Piano Solos: a) Hunting Song b) Romance	MacDonald
Miss Leslie	
PART SECOND	
Allegro Scherzando from Second Concerto	Saint-Saens
Misses Lowe and Sprostrom	
Songs: a) Chanson de Neige b) June	Chaminade
Miss Cushing	
Piano Solos: a) Reverie b) Lolo Habanera	Schuetz
Miss Sprostrom	
Aria: My heart at thy Sweet Voice (Samson and Delilah)	Saint-Saens
Piano Solos: a) Venice, Gondolliers b) Humoresque (Miniature Suite)	List
Miss Love	
Chorus: Gypsy Life	Schumann
The Fidelity Society	
Miss Wilkey and Miss Warren at the piano	

statesman, Mr. Gladstone. We who understand his principles, know his great life, can take those principles for our own.

What then are the highest ideals? A strong, pure physical manhood is certainly one of them. We cannot do our best work of body and brain where the physical being is ill and weak. We often question why some people do not do better work, when we do not know that they have a thousand things pressing upon them. We call men cold who are only sad. We must be strong in order to stand up under the strain that the work of the world has put upon us.

A mind alert and active to think out the great problems of this life is another ideal; a spirit within one that responds to the good and true and noble.

But he said not to be content with a collection of ideals which we can frame for ourselves, but to live by the best that is within us. We do not know half the good there is in the life. When we do see the good things, grip them and hold them hard.

There is a verse in the New Testament known as the Golden Rule, "Whatsoever ye would that men should do to you, do ye even so to them." The same thought differently worded is found in other religions. The old law of the Jews could be summarized in the words

ought to be president. Aha, a sucker like me!" But the honor did come, and he was made president, and he was ready for it. His life was a preparation for just this thing. He studied, he read his books, few as they were, he thought, he argued, and he builded better than he knew.

This is an intensely interesting world. It is a hard world, a cruel world, but take a long look back and see through the centuries of terror and shame, of war and bloodshed, how the world has been growing steadily better, wonderfully better. Find a place for your hand. Do not live small. Find something that you can do and put your very soul in it, the best that is in you. The great things are hard. The good things are hard. But these are the things that bring satisfaction.

It is great where the fight is strong, it is where the bravest troops belong, there to fight for man and God.

Miss Bailey then presented the diplomas to the graduating class, after a few appropriate remarks. The parting hymn by Samuel M. Downs was sung by the congregation and the benediction was offered by Rev. C. H. Oliphant. While the audience remained standing the school filed out and another year was ended for a class of Abbot students.

## Antoinette Hall Taylor Infirmary—Dedicated June 2, 1914

## Tree Exercises

The tree exercises and ivy planting were held on Tuesday morning at 10:30 o'clock, by the college preparatory and academic senior classes, the program being as follows:

Transfer of the Spade  
Miss Guttererson, President of the Class of 1914  
Tree Song  
Written by Miss Elizabeth Bartlett  
The day has come when we depart;  
Stand free from all that's gone before,  
When each of us goes out alone,  
And, trembling, knocks at Life's great door.

And lest we be forgotten quite,  
When we have travelled far away,  
We leave behind a treelet's wake,  
In sacred memory of this day.

Oh, little tree, so small, so thin,  
May'st thou grow tall and straight in form,  
And may'st thou stand for many years,  
And long endure both wind and storm!

Oh, may we straight and steadfast grow,  
And learn, alone, to fill, like thee,  
The place that Fate shall make for us,  
And, self-reliant, life's rough sea!

Ivy Planting—College Preparatory Senior Class  
Transfer of the Spade  
Miss Jones, Class of 1914  
Miss Baker, Class of 1915

## Graduating Exercises

The graduating exercises were held in the South church on Tuesday morning at eleven o'clock. Promptly at that hour Professor Ashton began the organ prelude and the school marched in, headed by Frederic G. Moore as marshal. They filled the pews in the center of the church, excepting the first five rows which were reserved for the graduates. These followed the school, each girl beautifully but simply dressed in white and carrying a long-stemmed red rose, the class flower. After they had been seated the school choir rendered the anthem "O Come Before His Presence with Singing," by Martin. Rev. Geo. H. Guttererson invoked the Divine blessing, after which the choir sang "The Lord Is My Shepherd" by Goetschius.

The Rev. Charles H. Cutler, D.D., of the Board of Trustees, then introduced to the audience President John Martin Thomas, D.D., LL.D., of Middlebury College, Middlebury, Vt., who addressed the graduating class. His subject was "Sufficient Ideals." He said in part that we have to reach the heights by living up to our ideals; to have those ideals the loftiest we can appreciate and understand, and to take this principle, of living by the best of what we are capable. If a friend should give a sum of money for us to buy books, with which to start a library of our very own or add to one we already had, we would consider carefully the books to be bought, buying those that would be of permanent good, and brushing aside those that would delight but for an hour. It would not only be a privilege, but a sacred duty to make the most of the gift. If some one left a sum of money for the school, the teachers and trustees would put it to the best use possible, for it would be their duty to do so. If we are incapable of appreciating the high ideals of the good men and women around us, it is for us to bring our lives up to their standard of living. But if we do honor them it is for us to take the spirit of their lives and translate it into ours.

He cited the man, William E. Gladstone, who never hesitated to call the British Navy to go into the far East to quell disturbances in China and India, that war and oppression might be stopped. He never hesitated to ask the British Electorate to vote to spend money where he thought it was needed, but he did not do it for his own gain. There are some who ask why such things were required of Great Britain, why they had need of any concern in the matters far away, why it is not good policy to seek one's own ends in this world, but these are they who do not appreciate the great

"Do not do to others what you would not have them do to you." The lesson of the great Chinese sage, Confucius, is reciprocity. Other religions say the same thing in a negative way. Our Golden Rule is the positive way. It is not enough to leave undone the things which we ought not to do, but to do those things that come our way.

He cited an instance of the savages of the Hebrides going to war in their awful fashion of clubs and staves and poisoned arrows. They had been taught the "way of life," but the missionary had gone away and they fell back into old paths. The tribes were on the verge of a battle, when the old missionary heard of the evil that was about to be done, and, though old and infirm, he travelled many weary miles back to the place and stopped the bloodshed. The man was John G. Pinckney, a most beloved teacher and missionary.

He said that we are influenced by those whom we have never seen or ever expect to see, men who are living bravely and living true. We do not want the special consideration of ourselves, but the larger life that helps the community. That is the life we are obliged to render to the world. Standard our lives by the best that is in the world, live by the best.

We should prepare for the best for that is the duty of us all. It has been said in New England that it takes all kinds of people to make a world. It does take all kinds of dispositions, all kinds of labor. There is the labor with the hands, under the direction of some one else, where strong physical labor only is required. If this work is done well, then they who do it deserve their credit. There is the work of the mind, transcribing the transactions of the business of the world, doing the bidding of others, but with no effort of the brain to think out the mighty problems set forth; to those who do this work much credit is due; but there is also the work of the brain that builds and plans, executes and carries out the business of the world. This is the power behind the workings of the world, behind the mightiness of nations.

President Thomas told a story of the growth of Springfield, Vermont. It was at one time a country village, with a corner store, a church and a few dwelling-houses. A Yankee, moving to the place, saw an opportunity for manufacturing, and he built a factory. Others came, and saw, and built, and today it is a prosperous place. It is the same way in daily life. Let us strive for the great things of life, forgetting the little ones. "Let him that is great among you be your servant," for service is a great thing. This can be turned around. "Let him that is your servant be great."

Opportunity waits on preparation. We will not be ready for any task and not find the task ready for us. We must prepare for a task many years ahead. It sometimes seems as if opportunity never came our way, but the preparation is good for us and when the opportunity does come we will be ready for it. Here was told the story of Mr. Webster, who said, when a friend complimented him on his able extemporaneous speech in a defense, "My whole life has been a preparation for this." We will be called upon to do some work for which our lives have been in preparation. Do not be discouraged if the time is long in coming.

It is said that President Lincoln prepared his life so that he might become president; that he knew how his life was to be, and that he was ready for the honor when it came to him. But he did not know. He laughed about it. Once in a little log cabin in Illinois, he said to a friend, "Mary (his wife) says that I

Academic—Mildred Louise Allaman, Dayton, Ohio; Miriam Bancroft, Concord, N. H.; Dorothy Bennett, Beverly; Margaret Ingham Blake, Ivoryton, Conn.; Harriett Bowman, Muncie, Ind.; Helen Darlington Burk, Philadelphia, Pa.; Marion Clark, Andover; Olive Wanda Dean, Andover; Frances Miner Dowd, Madison, Conn.; Helen Elizabeth Gilbert, Bolton; Hildegard Emma Wilder Guttererson, Winchester; Helen Elizabeth Hamblet, Lawrence; Helen Doris Hanscom, Lawrence; Elizabeth Margaret Johnson, Andover; Laura Northey Marland, Ballardvale; Bertha Wessel, Lawrence; Elsie Whipple, Andover; Marie Estelle Winsor, Ashbury Park, N. J.; Margaret Wylie, Walla Walla, Wash.

College Preparatory—Elizabeth Poole Bartlett, Andover; Lillian Frances Conroy, Andover; Elsie Grosvenor Gleason, Andover; Mary Rutherford Harsh, Nashville, Tenn.; Gladys Abbot Walker Higgins, Andover; Mary Alice Hildreth, Bethlehem, N. H.; Mildred Amy Horne, Honolulu, Hawaii; Frances Laura Jones, Portland, Oregon; Lucretia Lowe, Andover; Esther Margaret Parks, Cleveland, Ohio; Katharine Elizabeth Selden, Andover; Alice Curtis Sweeney, Lawrence.

## Alumnae Meeting

The annual meeting of the Abbot Academy Alumnae association was held on Tuesday afternoon with a large attendance. Miss Anna L. Dawes (1868) of Pittsfield, presided, and made an opening address on "Loyalty."

The various committees reported on the work of the year. The committee on enlarging membership reported a circular letter sent out to non-members, which brought many responses. The number of new members since the last annual meeting number about sixty. The fees thus obtained are added to the Alumnae Fund, the income of which is used for the good of the school in different ways, most for increasing the equipment.

Miss Bailey gave a gracious welcome to the alumnae and spoke of the school life, the new infirmary, and the growing need of a general endowment fund.

An appropriate tribute was given by Miss Kelsey to the life and loyal service of Mrs. Frances (Kimball) Harlow, for twelve years an honored and loved teacher, and for twelve years a trustee of Abbot Academy. Appreciative mention was made of Miss Margaret E. Gray (1854) and Dr. Emma M. E. Sanborn (1859), whose bequests to the school have recently been announced. Four other members of the association have died during the year: Mrs. Julia (Edwards) Clemens (1848) of Rockford, Ill., formerly of Andover; Mrs. Henrietta (Eaton) Blair (1868) of Stonington, Conn., wife of Rev. J. J. Blair, formerly pastor of the South church; Mrs. Allen (Merriam) Moore of Detroit, Mich.; Miss Caroline T. Robinson (1887) of Brunswick, Me.

The association elected the officers for the coming year according to the recommendation of the nominating committee, as follows: President, Mrs. Henrietta (Learoyd) Sperry (1863); vice-presidents, Miss Julia E. Twichell (1879), Mrs. Josephine (Richards) Gale (1877), Mrs. Ellen (Chamberlain) Blair (1875), Mrs. Rebecca (Davis) Spalding (1868), Miss Emily A. Means (1869), Miss Maria S. Merrill, Mrs. Anna L. Dawes (1870); secretary and treasurer, Miss Agnes Park (1858); assistant secretary, Miss Jane B. Carpenter (1892).

A vote of thanks was given to Miss Dawes for her able service as president. Mrs. Dorothy (Davis) Simpson was made an honorary member of the Association.

ciation in recognition of her gift of the organ, "the third generation of generous givers to the school."

Reports from the different classes holding reunions were then given. The number of alumnae present for the exercises of the week was larger than for several years, over a hundred having registered.

The class of 1854 which left the school before there was such a thing as a regular graduation, was represented by four members out of sixteen now living. Mrs. Marcella (Brown) Kelly, of Auburndale, first entered in 1846, teaching several terms between periods of attending school. She has many pleasant memories of teaching in the Phillips District. With another member of 1854, Miss Agnes F. Smith, formerly of Andover, and usually in town for the summer, she went to Oberlin College in 1856. They were the first Abbot girls to go to college.

The others present of the same year were Mrs. Parthenia (Boutwell) Holt, Miss Emily Carter and Mrs. Mary (Aiken) Ripley. Mrs. Ripley told how Abbot Hall and its surroundings looked and gave other interesting reminiscences. Other Andover members of 1854 are Mrs. George (Russell) Ramsdell and Mrs. Eldosta (Goldsmith) Chandler.

The class of 1864 was represented by one graduate, Mrs. Georgiana (Brooks) Butler of Lawrence, and one non-graduate, Miss Mary K. Boutwell. Mrs. Ella (Jaquith) Miller of Milton, N. H., wrote of her disappointment at not being able to be present.

Dr. Jane Greeley, known as both student and teacher, was cordially greeted and spoke for the four members present of 1864.

The twenty-five year class, 1889, had a good showing for their reunion, ten out of fourteen members being present. This was largely due to the energetic efforts of the secretary, Mrs. Annie (Spencer) Gilbert, who has a daughter in the graduating class. The reunion gift was \$180. Two former Andover girls were present—Mrs. Frances (Marsh) Bancroft and Mrs. Mabel (Strong) Gilbert.

Other later classes responded to the roll call, 1894 having six members, entertained by Mrs. Winifred (Barber) Millard; and 1913 having eleven.

The graduating class included three daughters of Alumnae and five granddaughters.

The president called the attention of the audience to the new portrait of Mrs. Draper which had been loaned for the occasion. The association sent its usual hearty greeting to Mrs. Draper.

After the meeting many of the guests visited the exhibition, in the John-Ether Gallery, of books written by former students of the school.

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UNION CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH  
REV. AUGUSTUS H. FULLER, Pastor  
10.30. Worship with sermon by pastor.  
Sunday School to follow.  
6.00. Y. P. S. C. E.  
7.30 Thursday. Evening prayer meeting.

MET. NORTH EPISCOPAL CHURCH  
REV. JAMES KING, Pastor  
10.30. Worship with Children's Day sermon by pastor.  
Sunday School to follow.  
3.00. Meeting of Epworth Juniors.  
6.00. Children's Day Concert.  
7.30 Thursday. Evening prayer meeting.

Mrs. Joseph Stott is spending several weeks in Passaic, N. J.

Charles Pearson is slowly convalescing from a recent severe illness.

Miss Ruth Greenwood is confined to her home by a severe attack of the grip.

Miss Martha White of Westboro is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Foster Matthews of Lawrence are visiting relatives in the village.

Children's day will be observed at the Congregational church, Sunday, June 21.

Last Wednesday a son was born to Mr. and Mrs. William Wedel, Andover street.

S. M. Seabury of Wakefield is painting William Shaw's house and barn on Andover street.

Subscription papers are being circulated through the village to provide a band concert for the Fourth of July.

Mrs. Marcella Kelley of Auburndale has been the guest of her sisters, the Misses Mary and Julia Brown of Andover street.

The Epworth League business meeting was held Monday evening at the home of Mrs. Salmon C. Walker Chester street.

The nominating committee of the Y. P. S. C. E. held a meeting on Tuesday evening to choose the officers and committees for the ensuing term.

Brenton Baker has finished painting and fixing up the vestry at the Congregational church, and everybody is pleased with the first class job.

The first annual dance of the B. V. C. club will be held in Bradlee hall Saturday evening, June 13. It promises to be well patronized and many out of town friends will attend.

Rev. Newman Matthews of West Andover preached a practical and convincing sermon at the Congregational church Sunday forenoon in exchange with the pastor.

Children's day will be observed at the Methodist church next Sunday. A special sermon will be preached to the children in the forenoon and the children's day concert will be held in the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Y. Neal and child and Mrs. Sprague of Medford, are occupying one of the Harwood bungalows on the Shawshen for the summer.

The local C. E. society postponed holding their meeting at the town farm until next Sunday, June 14.

The Bradlee Mothers' club observed "Fathers' Night" in the kindergarten room Tuesday evening. There was a good attendance. The following program was rendered: Address of welcome by the president, Mrs. Freeman Abbott; singing of Mothers' Hymn; piano solo, Miss Florence Mott; piano duet, Miss Ruth Greenwood and Harold Wells; address, Walter Leroy Smith, president of the Malden Commercial school, topic "The Three Real R's"; piano solo, Miss Florence Mott; piano duet, Miss Ruth Greenwood and Harold Wells. In the watch game which caused no end of fun, first prize was won by Mrs. George Tuttle; second prize, Irving Shaw; booby prize, Mrs. George Clemons. Refreshments were served by the following efficient committee: Mrs. A. C. Holland, Mrs. Louis Schneider, Mrs. Holmes Bates, Mrs. George Tuttle, Mrs. Irving Shaw.

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## GLEANINGS ON BEACON HILL

## Walsh's Reorganization Plans Are Shelved For the Present

## RAILROAD QUESTION IS FIRST

Its Disposition Will Result in Speedy Adjournment of Legislature—Long Discussion Over Essential Features Is Probable—Fall Political Campaign to Be Fought in State House

The prediction can now be safely made that about all of the extensive reorganization plans of Governor Walsh will go over to the next general court.

This does not mean that they are found to have no merit, but that the pressure of legislative business is so great that there is absolutely no time within the next few weeks to deal with matters covering a broad field.

The governor outlined a gigantic task. He saw that certain improvements could be made in almost every branch of the public service. But he probably did not see the congested situation that he would get into during the early days of June.

There is just one thing now that is keeping the legislature in session. It is the railroad question. Without that we should see plans for prorogation within a week, and almost all matters would be rushed or thrown away.

There will be a paid insanity board of three experts. That is the most promising matter out of the proposed reorganization of all the state institutions commissions.

There will be reduced salaries and full time requirements for the public service commission and the dock board.

Maybe the proposed changes in the state board of health will get by this year.

The department of adjutant general has been dealt with by the law which gave the governor the right to appoint Colonel Cole.

It is decidedly a debatable matter whether or not the railroad bill in the form proposed by the governor's message is enacted into law.

The Railroad Features  
The essential feature of the railroad legislation is the abolition of the Boston Railroad Holding company. This was created in 1909 as a result of the plan suggested by the late Governor Draper for bringing the Ballard majority holdings of Boston and Maine stock.

The stock of the Boston Railroad Holding company never was saleable. It was all acquired by the New Haven, who thus controls the holding company that controls the Boston and Maine.

The adjustment plan proposed by

agreement between the New Haven and the department of justice is that the five liquidators shall acquire by act of the legislature the stock of the holding company and the stock of the Boston and Maine.

Robert Washburn proposed that they shall acquire merely the stock of the holding company and thus take the place now occupied by the New Haven.

This point involves the right of the commonwealth to acquire the stock of the Boston and Maine. Under the adjustment plan those rights are to be ultimately lost, otherwise it would be impossible for the liquidators ever to give a clear title under a decree of the United States court. Under the Washburn plan the sale would be made subject to the same rights that the commonwealth now has of buying and having the price fixed in court.

Now the controversy which opened up Monday with the appearance of President Elliott of the New Haven before the railroad committee centres about these few essentials.

The governor says that failure on the part of the legislature to proceed along the plan of adjustment will bring about a financial tangle for which the legislature will be responsible.

But the signs are growing plain that there is to be a strong movement counter to the adjustment plan, and it is just this other movement that promises to make the present legislative session a pretty long one.

## No Vacation?

Governor Walsh says that he is determined to have some vacation before he starts his campaign for next year. He has indeed worked very hard and is entitled to it. But the booming of the first guns is already being heard from political gatherings. And a July session of the legislature means that the fall campaign will presently be fought out there.

The governor and his friends are pretty confident that he can be re-elected and they expect that the Republicans will be tied up in hard knots over the campaigns of ex-Representative Samuel W. McCall and Charles S. Blod. As things go it looks as if that expectation were to be justified.

All along down the line preparations are being made for the fall elections. The campaign will start early and it will be a sharp one.

## On the Board Walk

It looked rather good and homelike a few days ago to see Senator Walter McLane and Representative Tom White strolling along arm in arm on the board walk at Atlantic City.

The two men are rather good friends, and they just disappeared over Sunday to recuperate for the last few strenuous days of the session.

White is no longer nursing his speakership boom. Instead he learns that Fred Hilton will probably not care to go back to the senate this year and he feels that it is Newton's turn to take the place for a little while.

White ought to make a valuable man in the senate. He has had several years of hard experience as chairman of the house committee on ways and means and is a very level-headed legislator. McLane is not a worrier. He probably can be re-elected to the senate as many times as he chooses. And he has already announced that he chooses to come back for at least one more term.

Taxation on Rampage  
The committee on taxation has been accused of going on a regular rampage during the last few days of its business meetings. Three bills are sailing along in the house under the guidance of the majority membership of the committee that send cold chills down the backs of those who are having troubles with the tax situation.

One is the compulsory return bill. Another is the deceased estates bill. A third is the valuation bill.

Under the first bill a man who does not file a true list of his property over \$2000 may be penalized from \$10 to \$5000 for each offense in addition to the penalties already provided.

By the terms of the second bill whenever the tax commissioner finds that an estate has more property in it than has been assessed he has the right to multiply the estate by three, levy the prevailing tax upon that and deduct the sum that have been paid in taxes.

Under the third bill the tax commissioner is given the right to revalue the assessment placed upon the property of any person.

## Other Tax Bills

There is a fair sized dissenting vote to these three committee reports which as this time are being severely criticised.

## PHILLIPS COMMENCEMENT

(Continued from page 6)

Horst Kreider, Annville, Pa.; Robert Moss Lovett, Jr., Chicago, Ill.; Fred Bates Lund, Jr., Boston; Dudley Cammett Lunt, Portland, Me.; Ludwig King Moorehead, Andover; William James Murray, Natick; Howard Marquis Newton, New Haven, Conn.; Lansing Morse Paine, Durham, N. H.; Nathaniel Paradise, Boston; Benjamin Kean Richardson, Middleton; Alfred Lincoln Rosener, New York, N. Y.; Carl Louis Rubsamen, Murray Hill, N. J.; Harold Tillinghast Sears, South Deerfield; Howard Ezra Slack, Brookline; Raymond Franklin Snell, Brockton; Frederick Howard Stephens, Dorchester; Arthur Campbell Sullivan, Lowell; Paul Tison, New York, N. Y.; Walter William Toomey, Lawrence; Alexander Hamilton Twombly, Jr., Summit, N. J.; St. John Waddell, Jr., Memphis, Tenn.; Robert Bradley Whitteley, New Haven, Conn.; Samuel Wadsworth Wolcott, Denver, Colo.; John Eliot Woolley, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Parker Breese Allen, Meriden, Conn.; Elliot Adams Chapin, Newton Centre; Joseph John Collins, Lawrence; Robert Francis Daley, Salem; William Rood Drayton, Englewood, N. J.; Henry Williams Dwight, Brookline; Lawrence Frederic Eames, Framingham; George Starkweather Haskell, Scranton, Pa.; Azel Farnsworth Hatch, Northampton; Edmund Steven Hayes, Eau Claire, Wis.; Frederick Robert Hulme, Andover; Stanley Burt Jones, Brooklyn, N. Y.; William Fuller King, West Newton; Orson Alonzo Kinney, Weehawken, N. J.; Laurence Barberie Leonard, Lynn; Leo Thomas McMahon, Rome, N. Y.; William Moore, Gloucester; Robert Campbell Paradise, Boston; Raymond Willis Phelps, Yonkers, N. Y.; Richard Henry Plow, Racine, Wis.; Harrison Schuyler Royce, Providence, R. I.; Philip Hudson See, Amherst; William Ellison Shattuck, Madisonville, Ohio.

Scientific Department—Allan Wallace Ames, Chicago, Ill.; Robert Johnson Ames, Cortland, N. Y.; William Scott Anderson, Pittsburgh, Pa.; Henry Dana Bevis, Brooklyn, N. Y.; Henry Millet Blank, Glen Ridge, N. J.; Donald George Bradley, Edmonton, Alberta, Canada; Chester Swan Burch, Hopkinton; Hallett Franklin Clark, Winsted, Conn.; Albert Batchelder Clarkson, Newburyport; John Wheeler Clarkson, Newburyport; John William Roy Crawford, Jr., New Rochelle, N. Y.; Dean Dilman, Sacramento, Cal.; Norman Emerson Elsas, Atlanta, Ga.; William Foy, Oakland, N. J.; John Leslie Grant, Chicago, Ill.; Robert Miller Greene, Peekskill, N. Y.; Shirley McElroy Hall, Jamestown, N. Y.; Arthur Williams Hequembourg, New York, N. Y.; Harvey Perley Hood, Somerville; Julian Cheever Howe, Cohasset; Thomas Ying Chin Lee, Hongkong, China; John Harland MacCreddie, Lawrence; John Bradburne Mackinlay, Santa Barbara, Cal.; William Pease Morrison, Redlands, Cal.; Parker Poole, Westbrook, Me.; Lawrence Bigelow Powers, Denver, Colo.; Waldo Elliott Pratt, Jr., Wellesley Hills; William Patrick Ryan, West Medway; George Henry Sager, St. Louis, Mo.; John Robert Schertz, Pittsburgh, Pa.; Sherman Stiles Spear, Lowell; Herbert Dana Ware, Chicago, Ill.; Robert Hallowell Wells, Los Angeles, Cal.; John Blossom Woodward, Nassau, N. Y.; Donald Kent Wright, Orange, Conn.

Laurence Devoe Angell, Douglaston, L. I., N. Y.; Stuart Hill Caldwell, Chicago, Ill.; Hampson Carey, Salem, Ohio; George Minot Cavis, Bristol, N. H.; Ernest Ramey Cole, Chicago, Ill.; William Allen Cushman, Monson; William Barnett Higgins, Andover; Sylvester Marvin Morey, Greenwich, N. Y.; Kenneth Alexander Reid, Connellsville, Pa.; Harold Meyer Siskind, Lawrence; Melbourne Fisher Smallpage, Eagle Grove, Ia.; Thomas Nast St. Hill, New York, N. Y.; Frederick Newton Whittemore, East Douglas; Edward James Winters, Holyoke; William Henry Jackson Woodford, New York, N. Y.; Norman Good Young, Hollidaysburg, Pa.

## RESENTS MILITANTS' ACTS

England Is Planning to Allow Them to Starve to Death

"Let them die," is becoming a rather popular slogan in London in connection with the "hunger striking" suffragettes since the public has become so profoundly resentful of the activities of the militant women.

It is reported that the government has decided to take a step in this direction by introducing legislation to indemnify the prison authorities against the consequences of allowing suffragettes to starve themselves to death while in prison.

The Standard interviewed a number of prominent people, including clergymen, on the subject, and all of the latter who are quoted by the newspaper express themselves in favor of the proposal.

## Liable For Selling Rifle to Boy

The Rhode Island supreme court ruled that a storekeeper was responsible for damage caused by a rifle sold by his clerk to a small boy. Verdicts given in the superior court to Henry L. and Catherine Bernard against James H. Smith, a Pascoag storekeeper, were sustained.

Chauffeur Who Drove Thaw Killed  
Frank Cantin, the chauffeur who drove Harry K. Thaw across Vermont to Colebrook, N. H., when the Matseawan fugitive was deported from Canada, was instantly killed when an automobile he was operating capsized.

## An Anti-Suffrage District

A woman suffrage resolution was killed down in the Democratic state convention at Raleigh. One vote was registered for it.

## SHALL WOMEN VOTE?

## WHY THEY SHOULD

Under this heading the Townsman will publish at regular intervals arguments prepared by the local organization in favor of equal suffrage. The column will also be open to communications for any others who may desire to contribute on this subject.

All women need the development which comes with larger responsibility and a wider sphere of action; and whatever tends to develop the individual is ultimately for the good of the race.

## From the Woman's Point of View:

If the question were the extending the franchise to a hitherto disfranchised class of men and the above statement should stand as it is, merely changing the words "women" and "woman" to "men" and "man", the truth would be so self-evident as to admit of no argument. If then we understand the word "men" in its generic sense as "human beings" is the thesis any less true?

The ballot is an educator, and the use of it will make women wiser, more practical and broadminded, and far more democratic.

Alice Freeman Palmer said in this connection: "Study of the Vital questions of our government would make women better comrades to their husbands and friends, better guides to their sons, and more interesting and valuable members of society."

Now our opponents have a very poor opinion of their own sex, and they have a great deal to say about the "hysterical" and "emotional" vote which women would cast. The suffragists, on the other hand, do not claim that political wisdom will descend full-fledged upon the newly-enfranchised woman; but they say "Give her a chance to learn."

They point to the fact that her brain was once considered too inferior for education; that until women's clubs appeared to disprove the contention it was said that she had no capacity for organization. One woman summed up the situation in this wise: "Whether women are intelligent enough to use the vote in the best possible way the day after they get it, isn't the question after all. By using it as well as they can, they'll find out how to use it better, and in no other way can they be educated to do their share in guiding social progress."

"But," the Antis say, "the great advancement of women in the last century—moral, intellectual and economic—has been without the vote."

What possible argument is that against taking the next step and emancipating her politically? If that attitude of mind had persisted in regard to material things, we should still be travelling to Boston—yes, and to San Francisco, too—by stage coach, and to Europe by sailing vessel.

Moreover, they lose sight of what is certainly a fact,—that this advancement came, not indeed with the vote, but by the efforts of those tireless workers for Women's Rights, who with Equal Suffrage as their ultimate goal, blazed out a path of equal opportunity in education and the professions, and equality before the law, through a forest of prejudice and hostile opposition. The Boston Globe for June 8, has an editorial on this very subject. It says: "The fight for women's rights has been a matter of slow, but unflinching progress. It has been more markedly an educational movement than any of the reform movements since the Government was founded. It has been a slow and gradual awakening of consciousness to forms of injustice that were so deep-rooted in civilization that few people in the world, prior to the middle of the last century, ever even thought about them."

## WHY THEY SHOULD NOT

Under this heading the Townsman will publish at regular intervals arguments prepared by the local organization opposed to equal suffrage. The column will also be open to communications from any others who may desire to contribute on this subject.

Because the great advancement of women in this last century—moral, intellectual, economic—has been made without the vote, and her greatest development in the future will be along lines apart from political interests represented by the ballot.

A harmful and unsound implication in the suffrage argument has been that woman's position in society would improve in proportion as her activities and interests became the same as those of men. This implies of course that man's work in society is more important and developing than woman's. But both are essential to society, and who can prove that one essential factor is superior to another essential factor?

The general advancement of woman, the improvement of her economic position, her social and civic influence, and her opportunity for culture make the story of her present condition without parallel in the history of the world. And whatever part the agitation for woman suffrage has played in the opening of educational opportunities to woman—and the work of the suffrage party has been for co-education rather than for higher education—we must admit that the results have come without the use of the ballot. Jane Addams herself, in spite of herself, is the strongest of arguments against suffrage, showing what woman can do without it. I believe she could not have done what she has done if she had had "political pull."

Women stand today for the duties of a broader moral and social life, apart from the spectacular duty of exercising political power under stress of personal political ambition—an undivided body to create a scientific and trained public opinion. The unenfranchised woman has settled more questions of state and country, inspired more good laws and corrected more poor ones, by her quiet, indirect influence and tactful suggestions, than the suffragists have with their years of battle. It is a mistake to think that noise is a sign of power!

"The ballot would bring with it many heavy responsibilities, and we should find ourselves, not as we are now, the power behind the throne, but a power dethroned," to quote Helen E. Leavitt.

In these past years woman has received much. Higher education has opened for her the greatest minds of the past. She has gained and kept much, having stored up in her mind wisdom, and in her own heart strength. And she is able and will continue to be able to give much. I think of two women whose lives of service seem so widely separated that in between there must be room for all of us to find a place for personal development and service—Alice Freeman Palmer and Jane Addams—the one the College president, the other "the little sister of the poor," the slum worker. One passed her days in the academic calm of a beautiful campus, among young women eager for wisdom; the other, in the dirtiest of the dirty streets of a big city, among criminals and the starving. And yet these two women are much alike when one comes to examine their lives closely. "The strong major chord of both lives was service, and in service to their age the notes of a high ideal and of love for humanity formed their solution and their satisfaction. This is what gave them balance and self-control and power." Character is not a gift, but an attainment. We create the self that we are, be that self the petty minded woman of leisure or the large-souled, deep-hearted lover and doer of good. The ballot will not do it for us.



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